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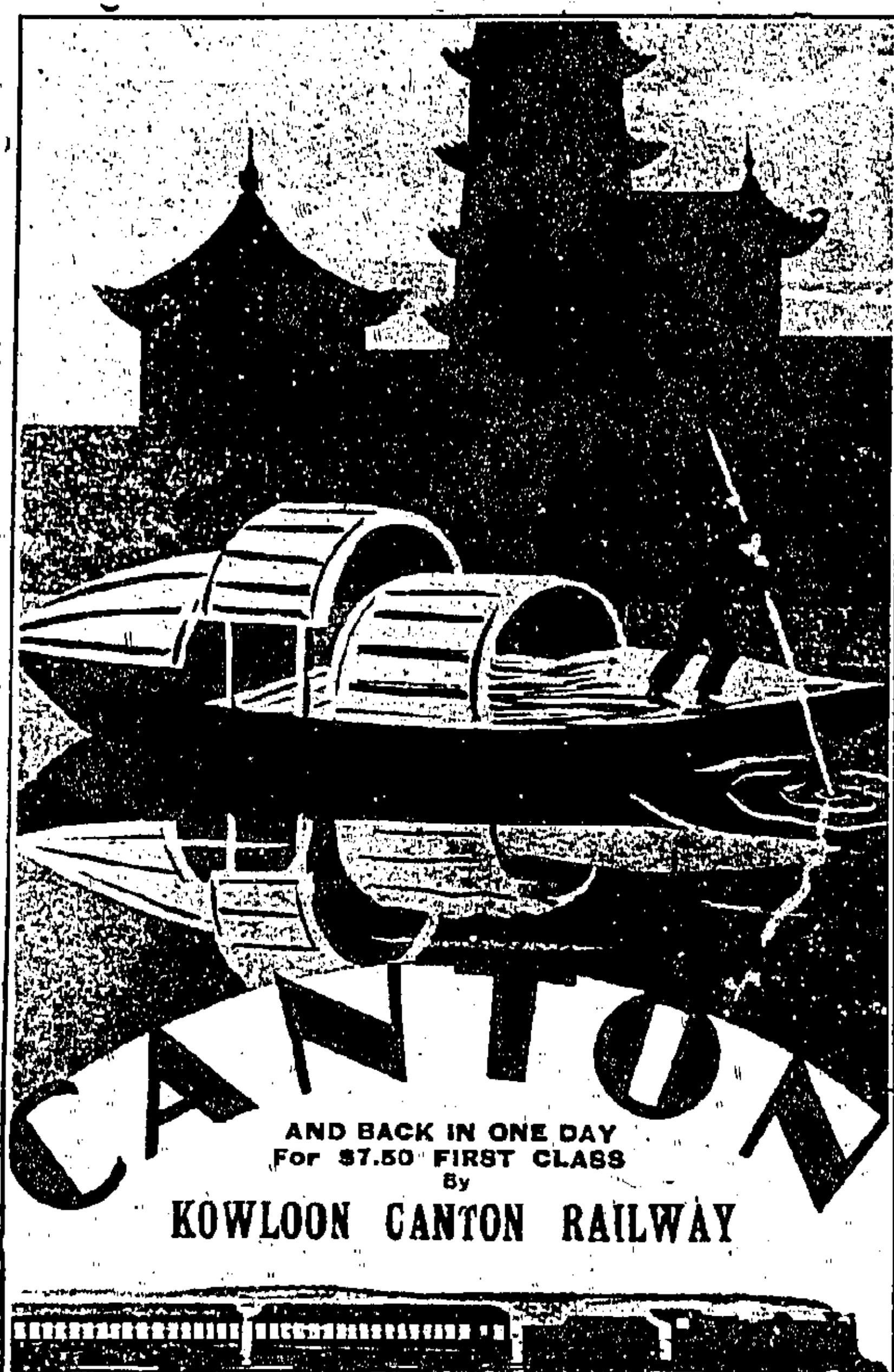
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Artist: "B-but it's a landscape.
Call it 'Home' Why?"
Well-Paid Administrator: "Be-
cause there's no place like it."

"Jones doesn't know much about
art."

"No, one radiator cap is just
like another to him!"

"Mother," said a little boy after
coming from a walk, "I've seen a
man who makes horses."

"Are you sure?" asked the mo-
ther.

"Yes," he replied. "He had a horse
nearly finished when I saw him;
he was just nailing on his back
feet."

A new minister was preaching
from the text, "Thou art weighed
in the balances, and art found
wanting." After the congregation
had listened for some time a few
began to grow restless and went
out; and others soon followed.

Stopping his sermon, the minis-
ter said: "That's right, people; as
fast as you are weighed, pass out!"
No others left.

"The women certainly are pat-
ronizing barbershops nowadays."
"Yes, and it serves some of these
talkative barbers right!"

"By the way, darling, what
sweet are we having for dinner to-
day?"

"It is sponge cake."

"And very nice, too?"

"Yes, I sponged the eggs from
Mrs. Jones and the flour and milk
from our new neighbour."

FAREWELL TO INDIA

Retiring Viceroy's
Gratitude

New Delhi, April 8.

Lord Willingdon, retiring Viceroy
of India, and one of Great Bri-
tain's greatest statesmen, bade
farewell to House and Assembly
to-day for the last time.

The House was crowded but the
members of the Congress Party
were absent.

Lord Willingdon, speaking mov-
ingly, deplored the discourtesy
shown him by the Congress Party
as the representative of the King-
Emperor, but apart from this, he
said, he was leaving India with
happy memories.

He expressed gratitude for the
assistance given him by the
Assembly and his confidence that
peace and prosperity would crown
the future of India.

The increasing unemployment
of educated Indians, he went on,
he deeply regretted. This trouble
should be attacked at its source
and ways devised in education
whereby Indian youths would be-
come more fitted for the work
available in their country.

He was glad, he said, that civil
strife had decreased immensely
within the past few years and he
warned the leaders and the people
that disputes must be settled by
legal and peaceful means.

Lord Willingdon concluded with
the expression of the wish that his
successor might find his work in
India as pleasant as he had found
his.

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RACE 3

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Diana Bay.
Soldier of Britain.
Gladiator.

RACE 5

Boxing Eve.
Ythan.
Old Star.

RACE 6

Royal Scot.
Honeymoon Eve.
King's Lead.

RACE 7

Stopwatch.
Judea.
Rugby Star.

RACE 8

Ranger.
Racing Heart.
Centre Court.

RACE 9

Mersey.
Valorous.
What A Chance.

RACE 10

Copper Idol.
Seventeenth of Sept.
Gold Sovereign.

DAILY DOUBLE

Boxing Eve and Stopwatch.

SHANGHAI AMERICAN FOUND DEAD

Member Of B.A.T. Staff

Shanghai, April 9.

Mr. E. G. Berrien, a prominent
American connected with the Bri-
tish American Tobacco Co., was
found dead in his apartment yes-
terday, with a revolver lying by
his side.

The deceased left a note saying
he was despondent after a recent
attack of influenza.

Mr. Berrien, who was unmarried,
was a native of Texas, and was
aged 52 years. He returned from
home leave on February 2—
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DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

FRIDAY, APRIL 10

Anniversaries and Holidays—
good Friday, St. Mechtild, V. Bank
Holiday.

Cinemas

King's:—"Paddy O'Day."
Queen's:—"I Live For Love."
Central:—"The Night Is Young."
Oriental:—"O'Shaughnessy's Boy."
World:—"Chinese Picture."
Alhambra:—"Grand Exit."
Majestic:—"Becky Sharp."
Star:—"Accent On Youth."
Lectures—Rev. H. W. Baines, at
Helena May Christian Fellowship
Meeting, 10.30 a.m.
Meetings—Kowloon Chess Club
5.30 p.m.

Religious—United Service of
Christian Witness, on ground op-
posite Alhambra Theatre, 11.30
a.m.; The Stations of the Cross
at St. Joseph's Church, 10 a.m.;
at St. John's Cathedral, 6 p.m.;
Matched Church Parade Service,
10.30 a.m.; St. John's Cathedral,
Passion Play, 9 p.m.; Procession of
the "Dead Christ," at St. Teresa's
Church, 8.15 p.m.

Sports

Cricket—Kowloon C.C. v. Lieut.
C.C. Garthwaite's Eleven, 11 a.m.
Football—Army v. Volunteers
(Club Ground), 3.30 p.m.
Golf—Kowloon Golf Club v.
Happy Valley.
Moon—III Moon, 19th Day
Sunrise—6.08 a.m.; Sunset—6.42
p.m.

Tides—High at 10.29; Low at
4.31 and 17.55.

SATURDAY, APRIL 11

Anniversaries and Holidays—
Anniversary of the Death of Con-
fucius (Sheng-tsu-jih), Easter
Eve, Holy Saturday, St. Leo the
Great, P. and D. Bank Holiday.

Cinemas

King's:—"King Of Burlesque."
Queen's:—"The Milky Way."
Central:—"The Night Is Young."
Oriental:—"O'Shaughnessy's Boy."
World:—"Chinese Picture."
Alhambra:—"I Dream Too Much."
Majestic:—"Becky Sharp."
Star:—"Accent On Youth."
Dances—R.E.O.C.A. Dance.
Religious—St. John's Cathedral,
Festal Evensong and Address, 5.30
p.m.

Social—Civil Service Cricket Club
Whist Drive, 9.20 p.m.

Cricket—Kowloon C.C. v. Lieut.
Garthwaite's Eleven, 11 a.m.
Racing—Third Extra Race Meet-
ing (Happy Valley), 12.30 p.m.
Moon—III Moon, 20th Day
Sunrise—6.07 a.m.; Sunset—6.42
p.m.

Tides—High at 0.14 and 10.56.
Low at 4.45 and 18.40.

AIRMAIL LINK WITH SHANGHAI

Commons Indication

London, April 8.

Questioned with regard to the
carriage of air mail from Shang-
hai to Europe, Sir Philip Sassoon,
Under-Secretary for Air, in the
House of Commons to-day said he
preferred at the moment not to
say more than that the possibility
of making an arrangement simi-
lar to that between the China
National Aviation Corporation and
Air France was not being over-
looked.

This is taken to mean that His
Majesty's Government would wel-
come a co-operative arrangement
between the Chinese aviation com-
pany and Imperial Airways, which
is already linked up with Hong
Kong by a service from Penang—
Reuter.

IMPERIAL CONFERENCE

London, Apr. 8.

It was announced in the House
of Commons to-day in answer to a
question to the Dominions Secret-
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might be possible to arrange for
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place in London next year at time
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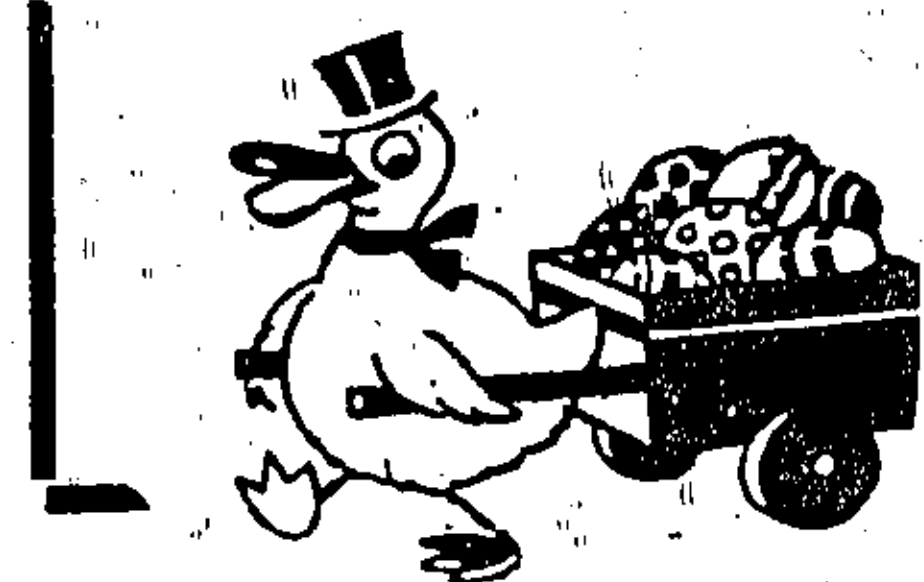
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A Happy Easter!



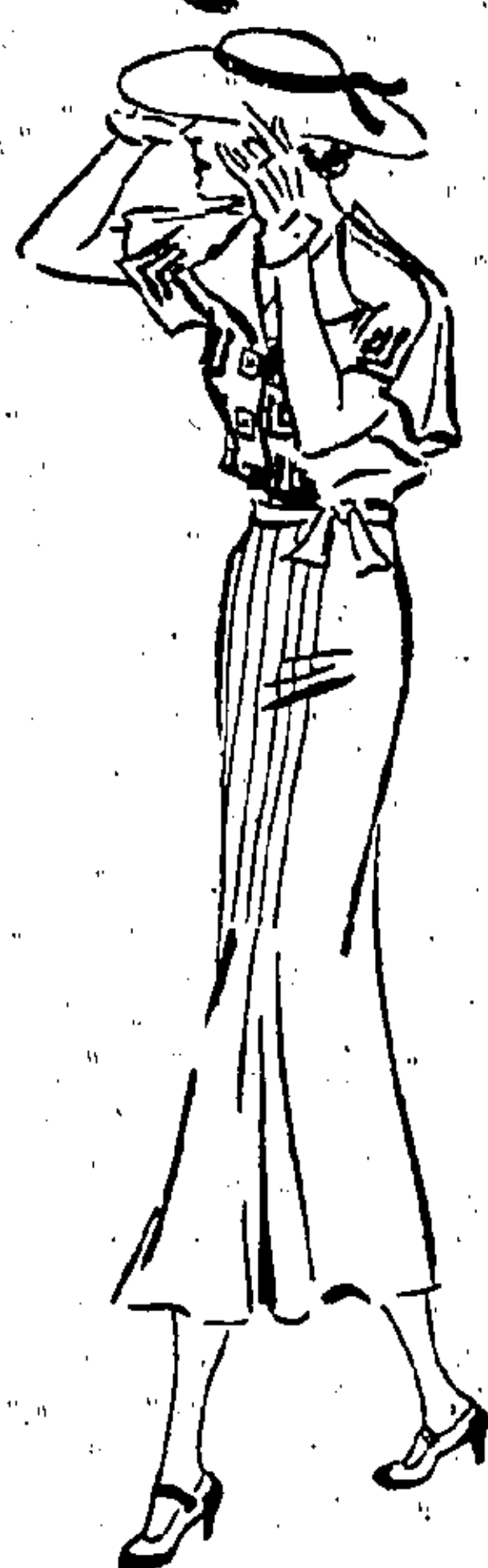
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SPRING Opening



BLUE FOR EASTER

Its Brightening Effects

In view of Easter one of the most interesting dress problems of the moment is the gay coat, worn either over a pleated skirt in contrast or an ultra-slim and simple frock. These jackets are intricate, though plainly cut and fitting, sometimes with a small fluted basque, or with a tight waist and deeper basque which is flared in the front. In details these jackets vary a great deal, but their style must depend largely on the materials chosen.

Blue is the Paris favourite and already appears here in Easter millinery. A charming semi-Victorian pork-pie has a brim of navy straw with a white fabric-crown and a white fancy veil. This is to accompany a navy silk dress under a neat fitted coat.

The boater will be seen in every sort of sporting guise. In a new mixed coarse straw in grey and blue it will show a stiff short veil.

A great help to the plainer suits are the fanciful waistcoats as alternatives to blouses. Some of these are in shaded crash-linens; others, for chilly days, are of coloured sueded and knitted or crocheted silk and wool. The white lingerie blouse and the neat striped silk tailored shirt must also have their place in the holiday wardrobe.



FASHION FLASHES

Accordion pleated taffeta is new this season for short scarves to wear with a tailored suit.

A close runner-up for popularity will be the scarf of tie-silk, brilliantly striped against a black background. These scarves are perfect for wearing with a severe black tailormade.

Cellophane woven into gaily-coloured "neckpieces" gives them a lightness suggestive of spring days. These scarves are mostly striped in bright colours; an exception that would look good with a white suit is in silvery white patterned with big circles in red.

ANOTHER TIP

And here's another tip—something that will interest your husband, fiancée, father and brother alike, as well as yourself—"Uzon" Brilliantine. "Uzon" is highly refined and discreetly perfumed, and besides being obtainable as a liquid you can also get it in solidified form, which is so convenient for travelling.

I hope every fair-haired woman is reading this article, for every one that is not is missing something really good—"Harlene" Camomile Golden Hair Wash. Doesn't its very name conjure up beauty for the fair-haired? It is a dainty preparation specially prepared for imparting a glorious light-gold sunshine touch to fair hair that has become dull and lost. Its tone.

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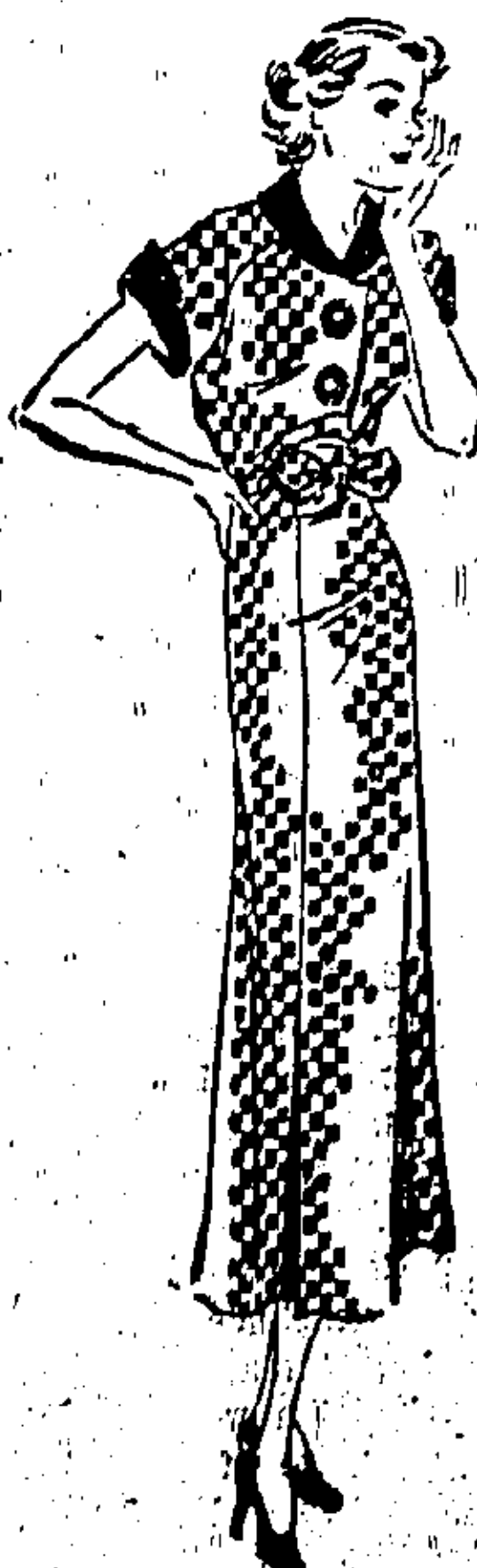
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THE EASTER BLOUSE

Easter calls for smart blouses. Waists are tucked-in, fitted over the skirt, or finished with a short shaped basque; sleeves may be short or long, plain bishop or fancy. Simple turn-down or tie collars appear over gathered, tucked or lace-trimmed fronts.



TENNIS SHORTS TO BE VERY SHORT

Wimbledon women nowadays dress to win, and this year will be a season without frills or superfluous trappings.

Some of our first-rank players are tuning-up at the Herga lawn tennis tournament. This is a dress rehearsal for the "big" season, but it can hardly be called "full-dress rehearsal" for some of the smartest and newest lawn tennis outfits are extremely scanty.

The day of the ballet-skirt tennis dress is over. Miss Dorothy Round is wearing very short shorts, made in one with the closely-fitting, tailored "top" that represents the latest in tennis styles.

Miss Mary Healy, another Wightman Cup player, has adopted the popular boyish style. Her shorts have wide black stripes down the sides, a la Helen Jacobs, and her shirt is similar to those worn by schoolboys for cricket.



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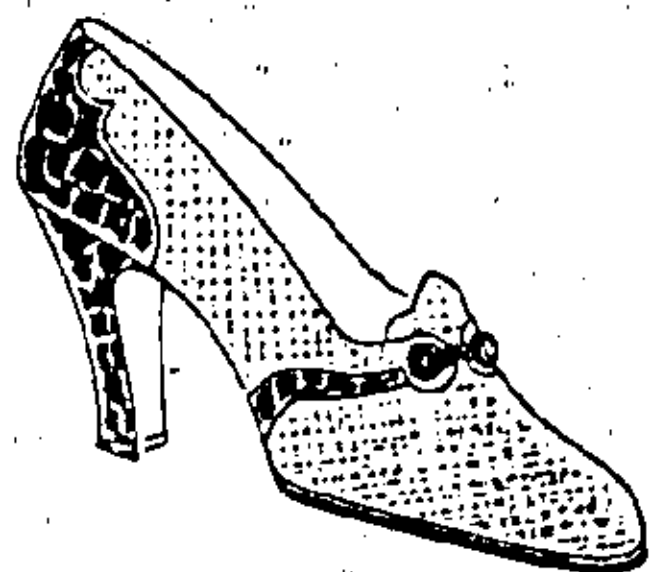
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Fashion PRE-VIEW



VEILED MYSTERY IN DRESS

Lace, Net And Tulle

The greater freedom now permissible in the choice of colours has given vent to more varied modes. The latest over-dresses, scarves of chiffon and net usually veil exotic colours and fabrics. This is a revival of the many phases of the old Victorian vogue for layers of transparent materials.

Dress shows stress this mode. The mannequin exhibits a beautiful garment, veiled by means of cleverly arranged suggestions of tulle. The purchaser, however, may be faced with an expensive sartorial failure.

It sounds discouraging to criticize the allure of the veil. I have received letters from readers containing tales of woe relating to this particular subject. Unless a girl has an adequate allowance and can afford to consult leading dress specialists, she will find that she cannot indulge in all whims of the mode.

LAYERS OF TULLE

If deciding on a tulle creation concentrate first on a firm fabric and becoming colour as a well-cut and fitted foundation to the tulle. All-white or a very pale pink is the best choice. Over it can be placed layers of fine tulle, fish-net or a fairly good wearing lace in black-and-pink, maize-brown or green. Black, too, is a sensible Town choice. The new black cre satins look well with a tulle or sequined over-dress.

The Chinese influence is pleasing. Glowing Eastern effects are made more becoming and practical by a veiling of chiffon or clouds of grey-silver or dusty-gold gauze. I noticed a wonderful gold-embroidered gold and green fitted robe, with a toga of deep purple satin with the Chinese golden dragon encircling the waist.

The many new ways with waistbands and sashes are interesting. The earlier fashions stressed the position of the high or low belt. The first long wool coats firmly favoured the high waist. Some redingotes resemble those of highwayman fame. The upward movement is assisted by the wide shoulder-line, enormous gauntlet cuffs, cavalier frills and jabots, with the coat stitching also carried high up. The waists follow the stitched lines of the square yoke.



BACK-TO-FRONT HATS

Paris Millinery
Novelties

The little bowler has arrived and looks most smart with neat tailored suits for morning wear.

A new sailor shape has been launched also, and very becoming it is in white mat straw with short crown and flat brim. The latter is given an outer band of royal blue and a split at the back, through which ends of the ribbon fall after encircling the base of the crown. Perhaps this is the only new shape that is not worn straight on the head, though this hat, too, can be done that way if preferred.

It is the notion of Erik to set practically all his new shapes this way, and when brims shoot forward and curl up at the sides they are distinguished from other shapes modelled in quaint terms. A chalk-white felt, for example, is smart with twin points of felt placed at the front of its crown and rising above a pencilled ribbon line of black.

Dark blue "bakou" forms another of these models, with blue hyacinths banked at the front and surrounded by fine mesh veiling. He also continues a mood for "two-way" hats—that is to say, hats which can be worn back to front and vice versa.

One shows a bunch of green and black flowers massed together at centre front of the forehead beneath a brim slightly raised when not resting on the hair at the back. The brim of this hat rises at the sides, while one in white straw is short and straight all round except for a flat peak and a bunch of green and white flowers banked up on a fairly high crown at the back—or front—as the turning point goes into reverse, as it were.

Straw toques have the same straight-forward tendency, but are designed to appear as though blocked to shape. Many are moderately high, and one is superimposed by ears rising in alert

ROUND THE SHOPS

LANE CRAWFORDS

The Ladies Salon are showing dresses for all occasions and there are some very smart models in this lot. Attractive linen suits of various colours and combined shades are to the fore, especially as linen is so cool to wear in the Summer. There are also a big line of printed silk dresses for morning and afternoon wear. Another big line is the new Summer Evenings—all the very latest in colours—and styles.

MAIZEES

Have received a small lot of Summer Cottons very moderately priced at \$18.50. Smart in style and design and material most attractive as well, will be most useful for morning wear during the hot weather.

MAYOS

Are showing an exceptionally nice selection of Summer cotton and silk dresses and suits, all very reasonably priced—and all sizes carried.

RIVELLE

Will be showing on Tuesday the latest shipment of Summer goods which have arrived by the President Hoover. Included in this lot are Evening, Day and Afternoon dresses and some very snappy hats.

GORDON'S

The ladies shoe specialist store are showing delightful new Summer models, just the shoe for the Easter Season.

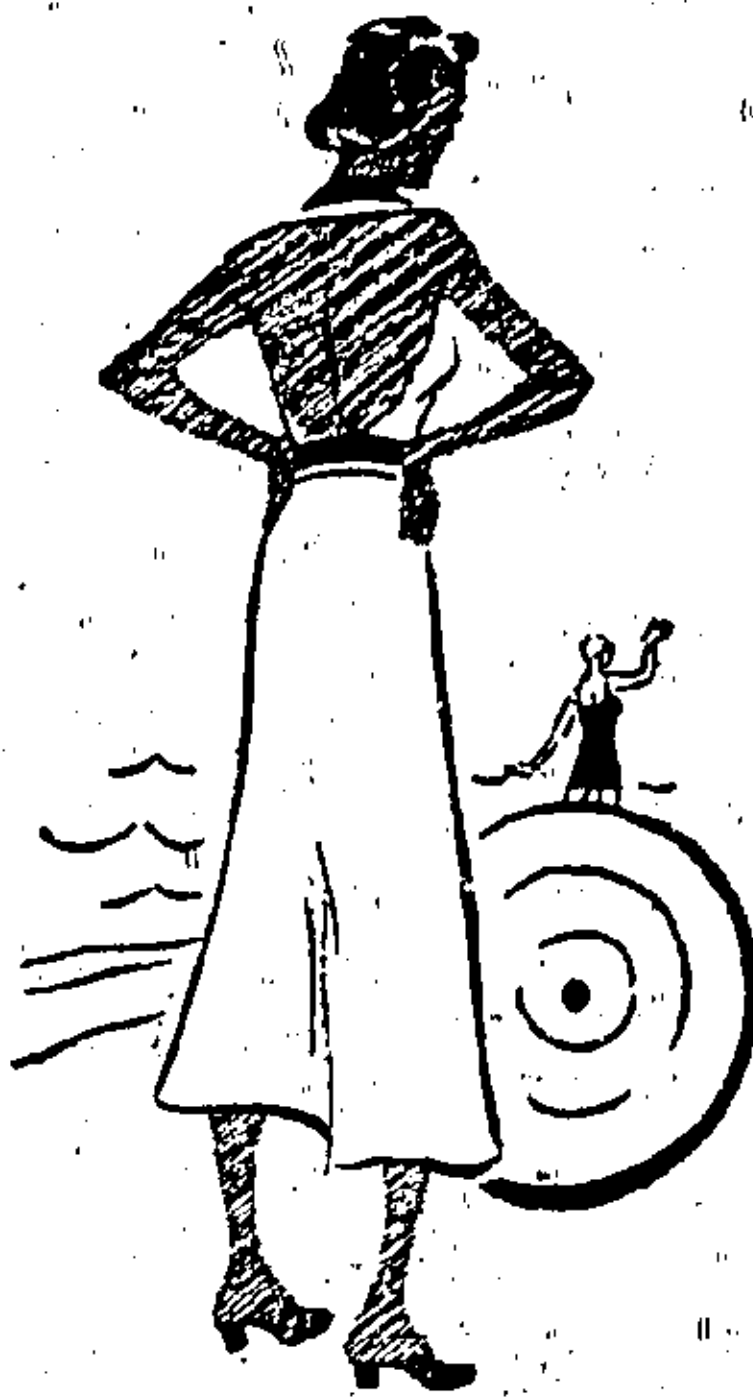


INCREASED HEIGHT IN MILLINERY

The means used to give the increased height in millinery which everybody is demanding may vary considerably. For the most part hats are worn high on the head, revealing well-kept coiffures brushed with an upward trend.

A dainty Victorian pose surmounts the crown of the tiny black satin toque for afternoon wear. Light tulle backs the nosegay standing away in the manner of the old-time paper holder.

The light-weight felt sweeps in one long unbroken line from a slightly rolled front brim to the topmost peak of the crown, the only relief being a quill feather in striking colour contrast.



"March hare" fashion with two white hyacinths set within the perch at centre front. This is a black and white model. Another indicates two sets of black and white wings. These motifs are small, with one wing rising and the other falling either side.

A flat cartwheel brim for summer wear is fixed on to a head-fitting to slant sideways.

A new type of pancake beret is made from black fabric straw, and set on a head-fitting base with a pencil-line of green, pushed right up near where both sections meet.

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HONG KONG SHOPPE

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WOOLLENS FOR THE SPRING

Spring suits for town wear are for the most part of soft smooth woollen materials. Angora is still a favourite for morning dresses and coats. Other woollen materials have a slightly wiry texture which guarantees a trim appearance. A thin alpaca-like fabric, which pleats well, is for tailored street frocks with pique, linen, or brightly coloured accessories. These fine and easily handled fabrics should be in demand. There are also woollen shantungs and coarse rustic wool and cotton mixtures like heavy linen. Broadcloth is for redingotes, swagger coats, and the brief bolero which are part of afternoon and dinner suits. With fox trimming broadcloth makes full-length evening coats and capes. Finely woven wool jersey, especially when it is black, may be for day and evening dresses.

SELF COLOURED TWEEDS

Tweeds are mostly self-coloured, soft, and supple; many have a small overcheck in pastel colours on a neutral ground. They now have a smooth finish, unlike the tweeds of last season. Rough tweeds are chiefly for jackets or very full swagger coats to be worn with a plain skirt or dress of the predominating colour of the tweed. There are large plaids and checks for three-quarter or full-length top coats, mostly of swagger cut.

proof, so the weather need not detract from such feminine fripperies. At the same time, while the fickle cold spring weather prevails, a sense of suitability is correct in the matter of clothes for the country house parties around Liverpool.

FLORAL TOQUES

Hats take on the new femininity. For sport they must, of course, grip the head. A quill, an intricate stitching, decoupe effects—in felt and duvetyne, even a veil will appear, or a leather flower harmonise with a buttonhole. I have seen floral toques for races, but the blooms were in petersham and leather.

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- 11 a.m.—2.15 p.m.—European Programme.
11 a.m.—A Relay of the 1st half of the Service from St. John's Cathedral.
12.30 p.m.—Orchestral Music.
1 p.m.—Local: Time Signal and Weather Report.
1.05 p.m.—A Recital by Fritz Kreisler.
1.20 p.m.—Military Band Music.
1.45 p.m.—A Recital by Richard Tauber (Tenor).
2 p.m.—Selections from Light Opera.
2.15 p.m.—Close Down.
4-7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.
7-11 p.m.—European Programme.
7 p.m.—"Sylvia Ballet" (Dellibes).
7.17 p.m.—
Organ Music.
Allegro from Organ Concerto No. 1 (Handel)—Professor Hans Bachem.
Choral (Bach).
Andante (Mendelssohn)—Edouard Commette.
7.30 p.m.—
Vocal Gems.
Rigoletto (Verdi).
Faust (Gounod).
Tales of Hoffmann (Offenbach).
7.50 p.m.—
From the Studio.
"Book Reviews" by A. D.
8 p.m.—Local: Time Signal, Weather Report.
8.30 p.m.—"Tunes with Pep" by the Bugle Call Raggers.
8.10 p.m.—"In Spring"—Overture (Goldmark).
8.20 p.m.—
Songs by Master Robert Harris (Boy Soprano).
1. Who is Sylvia? (Schubert).
2. Bird Songs at Eventide (Coates).
3. One Night of Love (Kahn).
8.30 p.m.—"Symphony No. 4 in B flat" (Beethoven, Op. 60).
9 p.m.—
Band Music.
Lead, Kindly Light (Purday).
Softly Awakes my heart ("Samson and Delilah") (Saint-Saens).
War March of the Priests (Mendelssohn).
The Bells of St. Malo (Rimmer).
Sempiternal Fidelity (Sousa).
9.15 p.m.—A Relay of the Davenport News Bulletin (Copyright by Reuter) and Announcements.
9.35 p.m.—
A Easter Concert Programme.
Song—As Pants the Heart ("Crucifixion") (Spohr)—Master John Gwilym Griffiths (Boy Soprano).
"Messiah"—Aria—Why do the Nations—Harold Williams (Baritone).
Chorus—Let us break their Bonds The B.B.C. Choir.
"Messiah"—Hallelujah Chorus (Handel)—The B.B.C. Choir.
In a Village Churchyard—An Easter-time Idyll.
Aria—He shall feed his flock ("The Messiah")—Elsie Ackland (Contralto).
Choral—How lovely is thy dwelling place ("Requiem") (Brahms)—Choir of the Temple Church London.
Organ Solo—Sanctuary of the Heart (Ketelbey)—Reginal Foot.
Arias—Ave Maria (Schubert).
Arias—Ave Maria (Bach)—Gounod—Master James Phelan (Boy Soprano).
Band—Lift up your heads ("Messiah") (Handel)—Massed Bands.
Aria—Requiem ("Requiem") (Verdi)—Margherita Perras (Soprano).
Song—Jerusalem (Parry)—Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone).
Orchestra—The Sacred Hour (Ketelbey)—The London Palladium Orchestra.
10.30 p.m.—
A Programme of Waltzes.
Potpourri of Waltzes (Robrecht).
Love of a Gipsy (Schwartz).
Greetings of Spring (Schwartz).
Potpourri of Waltzes No. 3 (Robrecht).
Die Hochzeit der Winde (Hall).
Valse Romantique (Heinecke).
My Hero—"The Chocolate Soldier" (O. Strauss).
11 p.m.—Close Down.

SATURDAY

- 12.30-2.15 p.m.—European Recorded Programme.
12.30 p.m.—A Light Concert.
1.00 p.m.—Local: Time Signal and Weather Report.
1.05 p.m.—Selections from Musical Comedy.
1.40 p.m.—Variety and Dance Music.
2.15 p.m.—Close Down.
4-7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.
7.00-12 midnight—European Programme.
7 p.m.—"Casse Noisette" Suite (Tchaikovsky).
The Light Opera Company
7.25 p.m.—
The Geisha (Jones).
The Quaker Girl (Monckton).
The Waltz Dream (Strauss).
The Student Prince (Romberg).
Xylophone Solos by Harry Robbins.
7.50 p.m.—
Robbin' Harry.
Nursery Masquerade.
Klitten on the Keys.
8 p.m.—Local: Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.
A Variety Programme.
8.03 p.m.—
Piano Solos—Rhythm of the Rain. I was Lucky—Renara.
Songs—I'm in the Mood for Love. I wished on the Moon—Lanny Ross.
Vocal Duet—What Good for the Goose is good for the Gander—Sam Browne and Girl Friend.
Orchestra—Six-Eight Medley—Harry Roy and his Orchestra.
Songs—Conversation for Two. Star Gazing—Elsie Carlisle.
Band—One Night in Monte Carlo. There'll never be another you—London Piano-Accordeon Band.
Humorous—The Derby—Description with the Singing Pearly Kings.
Songs—Look up and Laugh—Gracie Fields.
Organ Solo—Grasshoppers' Dance—Sydney Gustard.
Vocal—Since we fell out of love. What's the Reason—The Mills Brothers.
Military Band Music
8.00 p.m.—
Mirella—Overture (Gounod).
Rakoczy March ("Damnation of Faust").
Radetzky March (Strauss).
The Arcadians—Selection.
The Beggar's Opera—Selection.
9.30 p.m.—A Relay of the Davenport News Bulletin (Copyright by Reuter).
9.45 p.m.—A Relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Dance Orchestra.
10 p.m.—Big Ben from Davenport 12 midnight—Close Down.
NOTE: There will be a Chinese Recorded Programme from Z.B.W. on a frequency of 849 kilocycles from 8-10.30 p.m.

SUNDAY

- 10 to 11 a.m.—A Relay of the Morning Service from St. Joseph's Church.
11 a.m. to 12.15 p.m.—A Relay from St. Paul's Church (Chinese).
12.15 to 2.30 p.m.—European Recorded Programme.
12.15 p.m.—"Symphony No. 7 in C Major" (Schubert).
1 p.m.—Local: Time Signal and Weather Report.
1.05 p.m.—
Organ Music.
The Question (Wolstenholme).
The Answer (Wolstenholme)—Reginald Goss-Custard, E.R.C.O.
Traumerei (Reverie) (Schumann).
Andantino in D Flat (Lemare)—Edwin B. Lemare.
1.20 p.m.—
The B.B.C. Wireless Singers.
1 Morgenblätter (Morning Papers) (Waltz) (Strauss).
2 Wine, Women and Song (Strauss).
1.30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins.
1.35 p.m.—
Light Orchestral Music.
Marche Joyeuse (Chabrier).
Dance Slave ("Le Roi Malgre Lui") (Chabrier).
Tchaikovsky in Vienna (arr. Walter).
Charm of the Valse (arr. Winter).
Glow Worm—Intermezzo (Lincke).
2 p.m.—
Songs by Richard Crooks (Tenor).
1. Tell me tonight (Spollansky).
2. Only my Song (Lehar).
3. Springtime reminds me of you (Turman).
4. My Sunshine is you (Stolz).
2.13 p.m.—
Concert Waltzes.
A Thousand and One Nights (J. Strauss).
Roses of the South (J. Strauss).
2.30 p.m.—Close Down.
4 to 6.35 p.m.—Chinese Programme.
6.25 to 10.30 p.m.—European Programme.
6.25 p.m.—A Relay of the Evening Service and Bells from St. John's Cathedral.
7.30 p.m.—
The Regimental Band of H.M. Grenadier Guards.
Nearer, My God, to thee (Dykes).
Onward, Christian Soldiers (Sullivan).
Marche Slav (Tchaikovsky).
Pomp and Circumstance March No. 1 (Elgar).
Marche Lorraine (Ganne).
The Smithy in the Wood (Michele).
The Turkish Patrol (Michele).
8 p.m.—Local: Time Signal and Weather Report.
8.03 p.m.—

TO-MORROW'S CHURCH SERVICES

Easter Sunday

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

Macdonnell Road, below Bowen Road Tram Station.
Sunday, April 12
Sunday Service—11.15 a.m.
Subject—"Are Sin, Disease, and Death Real?"
The Sunday School is held on Sunday Mornings—10 o'clock.
Testimonial Meeting—8.00 p.m.
Reading Room at above address open: Tuesday and Friday—10 a.m. to Noon; Monday, Thursday—5.30 to 7.00 p.m.
The Public is cordially invited to the Reading Room.

UNION CHURCH INTIMATIONS

Morning service at 10.30 a.m.
Evening Service, 8 p.m.
Preacher at both services: Rev. K. Mackenzie Dow.
The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated at the close of the Morning Service.
The Social Hour after the Evening service will be held in the Church Hall.
The S.A.C.A. Blackboard Meeting is held in the Church Hall on Tuesday evening at 7.30 p.m.
The Helena May Christian Fellowship meets in the Institute on Friday morning at 10.30 a.m.
A play let, entitled "The Madcap Months," will be given by the children of Kowloon Union Church Sunday School, in their Church Hall on Friday April 17, at 5.30 p.m., and Saturday, April 18, at 8.30 p.m. Admission is by programme, which can be had from The Bible Book and Tract Depot, Queen's Road, or from the Union Church, Kowloon. Prices of admission are: Friday, adults 50 cents, children 20 cents, Saturday: \$1 for front seats, 50 cents for back seats.

CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL

The following are the forthcoming services at the Catholic Cathedral, Caine Road.
April 12—Easter Sunday.
MORNING SERVICES
1st Mass at 8.
2nd Mass at 8.30. Solemn Pontifical Mass: Celebrated by His Lordship G. Deswazieres and Papal Blessing.
3rd Mass at 10.30 with sermon in English.
EVENING SERVICE
At 3.30, Solemn Vespers.
At 4, Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.
April 13—St. Hermenegild, King and Martyr.
April 14—Holy Hour from 6.30 p.m. to 7.30 p.m.
April 18—St. Elphege Archbishop of Canterbury and Martyr.
On week days Mass at 8 and 7.30.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LESSON SERMON

First Church Of Christ, Scientist

Subject: "Are Sin, Disease, and Death Real?"
The subject of the lesson Sermon in all churches of Christ, Scientist, on April 12 will be: "Are Sin, Disease and Death Real?"
The Golden Text will be: "All men shall see the salvation of God." (Luke 3:6).
Among others, the following citations from the Bible will be read: "And, behold, there came a man named Jairus, and he was a ruler of the synagogue; and he fell down at Jesus feet, and besought him that he would come into his house: For he had one only daughter, about twelve years of age, and she lay dying. But as he went the people thronged him. And all wept, and bewailed her: but he said, Weep not; she is not dead, but sleepeth. And they laughed him to scorn, knowing that she was dead."
And he put them all out, and took her by the hand, and called, saying, Maid, arise. And her spirit came again, and she arose straightway; and he commanded to give her meat. The last enemy that shall be destroyed is death. (Luke 8:41, 42, 52-55 1 Cor. 15: 26).
The Lesson Sermon will also include the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures"—by Mary Baker Eddy:
"Man is immortal, and the body cannot die, because matter has no life to surrender. The human concepts named matter, death, disease, sickness, and sin are all that can be destroyed. It is true that man lives, this fact can never change in Science to the opposite belief that man dies. Death is but another phase of the dream that existence can be material. Nothing can interfere with the harmony of being nor end the existence of man in Science."
If man is never to overcome death, why do the Scriptures say, "The last enemy that shall be destroyed is death"? The tenor of the Word shows that we shall obtain the victory over death in proportion as we overcome sin. The great difficulty lies in ignorance of what God is—God, Life, Truth, and Love make man undying. Immortal Mind, governing all, must be acknowledged as supreme in the physical realm, so-called, as well as in the spiritual. Men's privilege at this supreme moment is to prove the words of our Master: "If a man keep my saying, he shall never see death." (Pages 426, 427 and 428).

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10 p.m.—
The London Palladium Orchestra. In the Moonlight (Ketelbey).
Wedgewood Blue (Ketelbey).
Bird of Love Divine (Haydn Wood).
10.15 p.m.—
From the Studio.
"An Easter Epilogue" taken by the Rev. H. W. Baines.
10.30 p.m.—Close Down.

BERLIN PROGRAMME

To-Day
4.50 p.m.—Call DJB, DJN (German, English).
German Folk Song.
4.55 p.m.—Greetings to our Listeners.
5 p.m.—Trumpet Choirs and Poetry on Easter Eve.
5.30 p.m.—News in English.
5.45 p.m.—"Das grobe Totenspiel" By Ernst Weichert.
6.45 p.m.—News in German.
7 p.m.—Concert of Light Music.
8 p.m.—News in English.
8.15 p.m.—Little German Broadcasting ABC.
8.30 p.m.—Concert of Light Music. (Continued)

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Sunday:—Sweet Surrender WITH FRANK PARKER

PADDY O'DAY
Behind the engaging performance of lovely Rita Cansino, who plays one of the principal featured roles in Jane Withers' "Paddy O'Day", now at the King's Theatre, is a lifetime of experience in the theatre and a heritage of performing instinct.

Although she is still in her teens, this lovely Spanish-Irish beauty is an experienced performer. Her father, Edouardo Cansino, descendant of a long line of famed Spanish dancers, and her mother,

TO-DAY AT THE CINEMA
Hong Kong

KING'S:—
"Paddy O'Day"
QUEEN'S:—
"I Live For Love"
ORIENTAL:—
"O'Shaughnessy's Boy"

Kowloon
ALHAMBRA:—
"Grand Exit"
MAJESTIC:—
"Becky Sharp"
STAR:—
"Accent on Youth"

Coming
KING'S:—
"King of Burlesque"
QUEEN'S:—
"The Milky Way"
ORIENTAL:—
"Shipmates Forever"
ALHAMBRA:—
"I Dream Too Much"
STAR:—
"Coronado"
MAJESTIC:—
"Sweet Surrender"

THE MILKY WAY

Harold Lloyd has combined every type of dance step he has ever been able to discover into a boxing routine for his new comedy, "The Milky Way" which opens to-morrow at the Queen's Theatre, with hilarious results.

Throughout the picture, William Gargan and Lionel Stander try their best to knock the comedian's block off and in an assortment of footwork Lloyd uses to escape, he employs everything from the tribal stamp of angered aborigines to the bubble-chasing flutters of Sally Rand. Lloyd has left nothing out. Gargan and Stander, both sound young bucks, send their hefty rights and lefts from too many angles. And at no time does the object of their objections put up his dukes.

In fact, he challenges them to try to hit him, while he ducks with both hands in his pockets. He side-steps, he paws with his feet, he twirls and pirouettes and whips about. Fortunately, there was a day when Lloyd took boxing seriously. At the age of sixteen he wanted to be Colorado amateur champion at his weight, so he knocked out the champ just to prove it can be done. Then, in the days when he was a stock-company actor, everything was required, including an attempt to dance in the manner of the New York stage.

Now he combines what he has retained of both careers. And the odd combination is guaranteed to add to the world's stock of entertainment.

I LIVE FOR LOVE

The new Warner Bros. romantic comedy-with-music, "I Live For Love," closes to-day at the Queen's Theatre.

The picture has a talented cast headed by Dolores Del Rio, exotic Mexican star. She plays the part of a South American prima donna who hopes to set Broadway by the ears, but whose success is marred by her own tempestuous rages and her inability to segregate her ardent love affairs from her operatic work, all of which adds to the hilarity of the piece.

Everett Marshall, who has one of the finest baritone voices in the country proves that he is as much at home in an acting role for the screen as he is a singer. Guy Kibbee, as a radio programme sponsor and Berton Churchill, in the role of a theatrical producer, are both dragged into a merry-go-round of troubles of the prima donna, who works or walks off the set as the whim seizes her. Both are talented comedians and snare these particular parts with unusual skill.

Allen Jenkins gives a characteristic portrayal of a tough press agent. Other rollicking comedy touches are added by Eddie Conrad and the famous vaudeville team of Shaw and Lee.

Busby Berkeley has brought out all the fast comedy action by his capable direction. He also has added a beautiful as well as hilarious pageant, in which the characters of the picture take parts of the famous people of history.

picture which presents the lovable little actress as a lonely colleen seeking happiness in New York.

AN AMAZING AFFAIR
420 Stowaways On A Vessel

News has been received in the Colony of an amazing attempt at mass stowing away aboard the China Navigation steamer Kwaiyang, a British vessel, which occurred while the vessel was bound from Swatow to Bangkok. It is thought that the stowaways boarded the vessel at Swatow.

More than 420 unauthorised persons boarded the vessel and secreted themselves in the craft and the amazing part of the story is that they managed to pass undetected through Amoy and Hong Kong. It was not until the vessel arrived in Bangkok that they were detected. Many of the fugitives were in the last state of exhaustion when unearthed. Some had managed to obtained food on the passage down by breaking into a large cargo of rice which the vessel was transporting to Bangkok.

When the authorities at Bangkok had been notified of the wholesale stowing away, the Immigration Department made a thorough search and many of the stowaways were found in the most extraordinary positions.

TO BE REPATRIATED
They were all marched off to the Bangkok gaol, where they are now being held pending deportation back to China at the shipping company's expense.

It is understood that before deportation is to be effected, a thorough enquiry into the circumstances surrounding the mass attempt at stowing away and evading the Siamese immigration laws, will be held and the vessel scheduled to take place when the vessel arrives back at Bangkok on April 27, in order that the officers of the ship may attend.

Although the shipping company may be entirely blameless the stringent Siamese laws regarding infringements of immigrations, provides that it can be heavily fined. It is stated that the total fine could be in excess of \$50,000. The Kwaiyang is due to arrive in the Colony this morning.

"KING OF BURLESQUE"

Beneath the glittering colour, the haunting tunes, comedy and gay dance routines which adorn "King of Burlesque," the 20th Century Fox picture which is now showing at the King's Theatre, is a fascinating love drama which will elicit the same enthusiastic response from you that it got from the opening day audience.

Presenting Warner Baxter, Alice Faye and Mona Barrie in the leading dramatic roles, this happiest of the new musical shows boasts an all-star cast of talented performers.

The story of "King of Burlesque" delves back-stage into the life and loves of the people of the theatre. Warner Baxter is the leading personally, an impresario who has brought the technique of the 14th Street burlesque to an enraptured Broadway.

At the height of his success, he deserts his two old friends, Jack Oakie and Alice Faye, to marry the aristocratic but impoverished Mona Barrie.

Through whirling, kaleidoscopic backgrounds, and a series of adventures, the picture traces the gradual descent of this rajah of entertainment under the influence of his wife. Finally, cast off and deserted, he rejoins his two old friends, launches his most daring project, to meet with a startling success. The close of the picture shows Baxter and Miss Faye happily rejoined in romantic mood.

Arlene Judge, the pert little comedienne; Gregory Ratoff, Fat Waller, Nick Long, Jr., Kenny Baker and the Paxton Sisters are only a few of the names in the cast that make "King of Burlesque" gayest, liveliest musical entertainment of the year.

DETERMINATION'S REWARD
London, March 24.
The story is vouched for about a man who was so determined to inspect the Queen Mary before she left Clydebank that he bought a large packet of shares in the Cunard White Company, and when they had been registered in his name, wrote as a shareholder asking for a ticket admitting him to the ship. The letter was forwarded to the builders, who gave the necessary permission. If the story ended there, it might seem that

DETECTIVE AND HIS DUTY
Extortion Case Before Court

Further evidence was heard yesterday in the case wherein three men are charged with demanding money with menace from an elderly Chinese man named Ying Ting-on, when it was brought again before Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistracy. One of the defendants, Lan Lun, P.C. 550 is a detective of the Hong Kong Police force and it is in the case for the prosecution that he is in the company of two others, Lui Chi-fan, (38), unemployed and Lam Yan, (40), unemployed demanded \$150 from the complainant on February 11 last.

Mr. C. A. Sutherland Russ represented the Chinese detective while the other two defendants were not legally represented.

The prosecution was conducted by Mr. C. Y. Kwan and Mr. T. Murphy, Assistant Director of Criminal Intelligence (Crime).

Lam Yan, the second defendant entered the box yesterday, and stated that he was a police informer and that he had known Lau Lun for about ten years. His evidence was that he had met Lau Lun one day in the Street and that Lau wanted some information regarding the numerous robberies in Shumshui. It was at this meeting that they also met Lui Chi-fan, and having introduced Lau to him, Lui took them to a place where he said he wanted to get something from a friend. This friend was the complainant. Neither of them knew the complainant and consequently when they arrived at the house, they remained outside while Lui went in and spoke to him.

NO IDEA
He had no idea that Lui was trying to extort money from the complainant. After this meeting Lui invited them all to go to tea. During this tea the complainant and Lui went outside and had some conversation. Lau Lun paid for the tea and in opening his coat to get at his money exposed what was thought to be either a revolver or a truncheon.

Lau Lun then entered the Box and stated that he had known the previous witness for some ten years. Last year crimes at Shumshui were more than usual so he approached the second defendant to go over and find something about them.

POSITION IMPOSSIBLE
Mr. Russ then submitted that when the case, "If it should come up at the Sessions, on the facts it was highly improbable that a jury would convict the second defendant, Lam. On the same facts it was impossible that Lau Lun would be convicted. Lau was a Police Officer with a good record, who was charged on totally uncorroborated evidence.

It was obvious, said Mr. Russ, that the detective had just dropped into the case in pursuance of his duty in a conscientious manner. If this evidence were to be used in Court then the position of a Chinese detective would become impossible.

The case was serious, counsel went on, in that in the future no Police Officer would go about his duty in the same conscientious manner for fear of the possible consequences.

The counsel for the prosecution, Mr. Kwan, said that he had made out a "prime facie" case and that he intended to leave the matter in the hands of the jury.

The case was adjourned until Tuesday next while Mr. Balfour would give the case further consideration.

QUIET WEDDING
Fire Officer Married

In the Registry Office at the Supreme Court yesterday afternoon the wedding took place of Mr. John William Woodard, of the Central Fire Brigade, and Miss Eugenia Vasily Vaginikala, formerly of No. 7, Hankow Road, Kowloon. After the ceremony a reception was held at the Central Fire Station.

The ceremony was performed by the Deputy Registrar, Mr. M. C. Abbott, the witnesses being Mrs. L. S. de Britto and Mr. A. A. Cash.

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"O'SHAUGHNESSY'S BOY"
Wallace Beery and Jackie Cooper are united once more in the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture, "O'Shaughnessy's Boy" coming to the Oriental Theatre on Friday and Saturday. Their new picture is described as a dramatic, human interest story of father love told against a background of universal appeal—the circus with all its pathos, humour and spectacle, abundantly punctuated with sure-fire animal thrills.

From the standpoint of circus spectacle, "O'Shaughnessy's Boy" has never been equalled on the screen. A complete circus was erected at M-G-M-menagerie tent with elephants, tigers, lions, monkeys, camels, water buffalos, llamas, and many other animals, Big Top and Slide Show.

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Wallace Beery has one of his finest roles as "Windy," the confident, easy-going, swaggering lion tamer. Jackie Cooper plays his son, and Spanky McFarland plays Jackie as a child.

ACCENT ON YOUTH
Walter Pitkin wrote a book to prove that life begins at forty. Now Samson Raphaelson has written a play to prove that it's love that really begins at forty.

Fresh from its success on Broadway where it reigned as the comedy hit of the season, "Accent on Youth" comes to-day to the Star Theatre in the Paramount film version.

Sylvia Sidney is the lady who is loved, and Herbert Marshall is the man who proves that the heart beats just as fondly, even if there is a trace of gray around the temples.

The comedy revolves about the plight of Marshall, a successful playwright who fears that he can no longer find true love now that he's past the forty mark.

To his utter surprise, his attractive secretary confesses that she has been harbouring affection for him for ever so long. Instead of reciprocating her feelings, Marshall gives her the starring role in his play, and she leaves him.

Wesley Ruggles directed the picture which features Astor Allwyn, Ernest Cossart and Holmes Har-

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CYCLIST'S DEATH RECALLED

Lorry Driver To Stand Trial

A charge of manslaughter or an alternative charge of dangerous driving was preferred against Au Chor, a lorry driver yesterday when he appeared before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy.

Mr. E. H. Williams was for the prosecution while the prisoner was undefended.

At a previous hearing the prosecuting officer charged the accused in being negligent in his driving, in that when he was about to overtake the tram in Electric Street on March 13 he did not exercise enough caution by not looking ahead to see whether there was any traffic coming. The deceased was riding a bicycle on the right side of the road and when he (the deceased) observed the oncoming lorry he waved his hand.

EVIDENCE CORROBORATED

Corroboration of the Crown's opening statement was forthcoming at yesterday's proceedings when Li Wun, motorman of Tram No. 73, which was stationary at the time of the accident, about 9:40 a.m. on March 13, at the tram stop to the west of Fuk Yuen Street, stated that he first noticed the deceased riding on a bicycle, about three feet from the side of the wall and was on the correct side of the road with his hands on the handle bar. The cyclist was approaching him and was about 30 yards in front when the lorry passed the tram on the right side and struck the cyclist. The deceased was thrown from his machine and was dragged along in front of the lorry.

Evidence was also given by the deceased's wife, Man Mul, who was called to the Station and informed of the affair, while Chan Ying She, interpreter at the Bay View Police Station stated that when the accused was charged he said "I have nothing to say."

Traffic Sergeant Clarke gave evidence regarding the state of the lorry and the examination made of the skid marks. The brakes, he said, were very good and the lorry, which was a Ford, was licensed to go at 15 m.p.h. On the roadway were two parallel skid marks about 34 feet, six inches long. He tested the brakes and at 30 m.p.h. the car pulled up at 40 feet and when driving at 27 m.p.h. it pulled up in about 35 feet.

Acting Sub Inspector Madgwick stated that when the accused reported the matter at the Police Station he saw the deceased and had him removed to the hospital.

DEFENDANT'S VERSION

The accused then went into the box and stated that just prior to the accident when the deceased was three or four feet beyond the rear of the tram, he (deceased) suddenly put up his right hand and swerved towards the lorry. To avoid him witness had also to swerve and in doing so they collided. That morning he stated, the ground was rather damp as the weather was quite foggy. The accident was due to the ignorance of the cyclist to the traffic regulations.

Mr. Williams: Were you anxious to get back as quickly as possible?

Prisoner: No.
What speed were you doing?
Fifteen or sixteen miles an hour.
Why were you not able to pull up, if your intention was not to pass the tram?

I was beginning to pull up when the cyclist put up his hand. Then he swerved and I swerved.

You have heard in evidence that there were marks made by the cycle for a distance of 35 feet?

The road was damp that morning and that accounts for the length of the marks.

In answer to further questions defendant stated that he was directly behind the tram and that when the cyclist came from behind he (defendant) swerved to the right to avoid him, but he then swerved back again to the left.

Mr. Williams: Were you not prepared for the tram stopping?

Defendant: I did not know that the tram was going to stop.
I put it to you that you were going at 25 or 30 miles an hour.
No, not so fast as that. I lost my head at the time of the accident.

In answer to a question from His Worship, defendant said that he did not come to any conclusion when he saw the cyclist put up his hand.

This concluded the case and the defendant was committed to stand trial at the Criminal Sessions.

Around the Courts

NO DOGS' LICENCES

Mr. H. Goldenberg of No. 19 Humphries Building was fined \$10 on summons for not having licences for two dogs, when he appeared before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday. The defendant informed the Magistrate that he had since obtained the necessary licences.

AVOIDING PAYMENT

For avoiding payment of fare on a motor bus, an unemployed man, Lo Kit (29) was fined \$10 or, in default, 14 days' imprisonment at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday. Sergeant Ellis said that the accused boarded the bus near the Alhambra Theatre in Nathan Road, and nodded his head when asked by the conductor for his fare. He intimated that he had forgotten his season ticket, but when taken to the office, of the motor-bus company, it was found that he did not possess one.

UNLAWFUL POSSESSION

Tsang Fong (25) unemployed was fined \$50 or, in default, one month's imprisonment at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday for unlawful possession of a brown leather hand bag. Inspector Chester-Woods said that the accused was arrested in Tam Kung Road near Tung Lung Street.

Accused at the station said that he had obtained the bag from the master of a drainage contractor's shop, but this statement proved to be untrue. Accused later said that in June last year, a friend and he had snatched the bag from a Chinese woman in Waterloo Road, near No. 8 Railway Bridge. His friend gave him 20 cents and the hand bag as his share of the proceeds.

The hand bag is at present lying in the Kowloon City Police Station awaiting a claimant.

ILLEGAL DISTILLERY

Charged in connection with the running of a distillery at No. 253 Kee Lung Street, four Chinese, one of whom was a woman made remanded appearances before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday. The accused were: Cheung Luk, (69) widow, Tsang Tat Tung (28) unemployed, Lee Chik Ting (19) tailor, and Min Kat (23) unemployed. Four charges were laid against all the accused which included running a distillery without a licence, possession of fermenting material, and possession of dutiable spirits.

Second accused, Tsang Tat Tung was discharged.

Revenue Officer O'Neill prosecuted.

Fines totalling \$450 or, in default, four months' imprisonment were imposed on the first and fourth accused.

BANISHEES

A returned banishee, Chan Sing, aged 68, was sentenced to twelve months' hard labour by Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Police Court yesterday for disobeying the order. He was banished on November 20 last for ten years. Chan Yau, aged 30, was sentenced to nine months' hard labour on a similar charge.

LARCENY

Sing Kwong, aged 31, unemployed, appeared before Mr. Balfour at the Central Magistracy yesterday charged with the larceny of a \$10 banknote, the property of Chan Sung, 38, mess-boy employed on board the steamer Chan Ping. Sub-Inspector L. Mist prosecuted, and defendant was sentenced to three months' hard labour.

THEFT OF WATCH

Charged before Mr. Balfour at the Central Magistracy yesterday, Li Leung, 27, unemployed, pleaded guilty to stealing a metal pocket watch and gold chain, the property of Lam Mah-shing, of No. 13, Pottinger Street. Another man, Chan Cho, 38, pleaded guilty to aiding and abetting first defendant. Sub-Inspector Mist prosecuted, and sentence of four months' hard labour was imposed on first defendant, and three months' on the second.

RAIL ESTREATED

Failing to appear before Mr. Balfour at the Central Magistracy yesterday on a charge of attempting to avoid payment of ferry fare at the Hong Kong and Yau-mat Ferry Wharf, Ngai Kung-ping, aged 18, unemployed, had his bail of \$20 estreated. Sub-Inspector L. Mist appeared for the prosecution.

BOUND OVER

Charged with fighting in Jubilee Street two fish stall foks, Choi Tak-him, 25, and Wong Hui-king, 26, were bound over when they appeared before Mr. Balfour at the Central Magistracy yesterday. Sub-Inspector Mist said first accused went up to second defendant on Wednesday and asked for the return of \$3 which he alleged he had given second accused to take to his mother in the country. The mother had written and said she had not received any remittance. Second defendant alleged that first defendant asked him to join a Triad Society and also asked him for \$2.

BEGGAR CHARGED

Chau Hing-kee, aged 28, a mendicant, was sent to gaol for ten days when he admitted begging in Des Voeux Road Central near Pottinger Street on Wednesday, before Mr. Balfour at the Central Police Court yesterday. Defendant was alleged to have laid himself down outside the Asia Company and to have made himself a general nuisance. He had also pretended that he could not walk. A widow, Tai San, aged 67, charged with begging at Upper Glenealy was cautioned.

STORY BELIEVED

Remarking that there might be some truth in the defendant's story, Mr. W. Schofield, in the Central Police Court yesterday, bound over Ling Fat, 30, earth-carrying coolie, charged with the possession of 29 sticks of dynamite, 34 detonators and four coils of fuses at Gap Road. The defendant stated that he was given the goods in lieu of wages by a contractor who could not be traced. Inspector Stewart Logan prosecuted.

"UNION" DIVIDEND

Subject to audit, the Directors of the Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ltd., will recommend the payment of a dividend of \$1.10s. (one pound ten shillings) per share for the year ended December 31, 1935.

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UNGRATEFUL FRIEND

The theft of three articles of jewellery and \$20 in cash, formed the basis of a charge against an 18-year-old youth, named Mok Wing Kee, unemployed who appeared before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday. Detective Sergeant Forrest prosecuted and said that the theft occurred on April 5.

The accused came from the country and visited Tung Sau Mul, a married woman of No. 237 Lai Chi Kok Road, and was invited to stay. At 9 a.m.—on the day in question the complainant had occasion to look in her cash box, and found a watch, a pair of earrings and \$20 in cash missing. The defendant had left the premises. The Police were informed of the suspected theft, and defendant was arrested later that same night.

Sentence of six weeks' imprisonment was imposed and \$13.80 found on the accused when arrested was ordered to be returned to the complainant. The pair of earrings which defendant admitted he had sold for sixty cents, were also ordered to be returned to the complainant without compensation.

ASSAULT AND ROBBERY

Two men and a woman appeared before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday charged with the theft of \$55 from a building sub-contractor named Lo Cheung (28) at Ying Fong Street, and with assault on the complainant.

The accused were: Chan Kum (25) widow, Kwok Lam (19) painter, and Tang Pui (32) unemployed. Inspector A. H. Elston appeared for the prosecution.

Giving the facts of the case, Inspector Elston said that on the night of April 7, the complainant was walking with the first accused, with whom he was not on very friendly terms. The second and third defendants came up and together with the first accused assaulted the complainant.

The latter was injured and later he discovered that \$55 was stolen from him. The Police arrested the woman who took them to the other two accused.

The case was remanded till 2.15 p.m. on April 15. Bail in the sum of \$100 was allowed for the first accused, whilst the other two defendants were remanded in police custody.

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GENERAL

Corps 1st Battery
"L" Section.—There will be no parade on Friday, 10th inst.
Next parade.—Friday, 17th inst.
Dress:—Overalls, Blue Caps, Gun Platform Sh's.

Corps Engineers
There will be no parade on Monday, 13th inst. owing to Easter Holidays.

Corps Signals
Parade at Corps Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, April 14 and on Thursday, April 16, 1936.

M.G. Troop
Parade at Corps Headquarters on Tuesday, 14th inst. at 5.30 p.m. for M.G. Instruction.

Armoured Car Section
There will be no parade on Tuesday, 14th inst.

Motor Machine Gun Section
There will be no parade on Monday, 13th inst.

No. 1 (M.G.) Company
Friday, 17th inst.—Musketry.
Final arrangements for Rifle Meeting which is to be held on Sunday, 19th inst.

No. 2 (Scottish) Company
Company will parade at Corps Headquarters on Thursday, 16th inst. at 5.30 p.m. for Musketry Instruction on Miniature Range.

Transfer:—Sgt. J. A. Lindsay
No. 6 Platoon, No. 2 (Scottish) Co., is transferred to Unit Reserve, No. 2 (Scottish) Company with effect from April 1, 1936.

No. 3 (M.G.) Company
Monday, 13.4.36 being a Holiday, there will be no parade.
The next parade will be on Monday, 20th inst.

M.G.Bn., Signal Section
Wednesday, 14.4.36.—Section will parade for instruction at 5.30 p.m. prompt.

Subsection "C" W/T.—Maintenance and Operations of C Set.
Subsection "D" D/R.—Field Cable Jointings, etc.

Box Respirators.—These must be returned at once.

Corps Rifle Meeting.—The men chosen to represent the Section will be notified in due course.

Appointment.—Signaller Thomson to L/Corporal in charge of Subsection "C" W/T with effect from April 9, 1936.

Corps Infantry
Parades will be held at 5.30 p.m. at Corps Headquarters on Tuesday, 14th and Tuesday 21st April, in order to enable those men who have not put in sufficient drills for efficiency to do so before the Efficiency Board Meeting is held. Instructions will be given by C.S.M. Baptista and N.C.O.s detailed by him.

Officers on duty.—Tuesday 14th, Lieut. F. P. Sequeira, and Tuesday 21st, Lieut. H. J. Silva.

Lewis Gun Badge.—The following N.C.O.s and men are entitled to wear the Lewis Gun Badge:—

Corpl. G. A. Pinna 32, Cpl. J. E. Remedios 32, L/Cpl. R. U. Dacomb 32, Cpl. E. de Sa 32, L/Cpl. E. Lawrence 30, L/Cpl. H. L. Rocha 30, Cpl. V. M. Nunes 30, L/Cpl. J. V. Pereira 30, Pte. E. M. Sequeira 34, Pte. H. A. Silva 32, Pte. L. O. Agabeg 34, Pte. F. J. Collaco 30, Pte. E. L. Cunha 32, Pte. M. M. Gutierrez 30, Pte. E. A. V. Remedios 30, Pte. M. A. C. Silva 30, Pte. G. A. Ribeiro 32, Pte. L. G. Lima 32, Pte. M. L. Roza 34, Pte. J. G. Rocha 32, Sgt. F. V. Ribeiro 38, Lt. H. J. Silva 36, Pte. A. L. V. Remedios 34, Pte. V. Bernardo 36, Pte. F. A. Gill 32, Pte. W. A. Souza 32, Pte. E. M. Gutierrez 30, Pte. M. M. Silva 30, Pte. J. A. Luz 38, Pte. C. M. Silva 36, Pte. J. M. J. Xavier 34, Pte. R. M. B. Gutierrez 32, Pte. V. A. V. Ribeiro 30, Pte. C. E. Soares 34, Pte. R. M. B. Gutierrez 32, Pte. F. A. M. Rosario 36, Pte. C. A. J. Ribeiro 34, Pte. W. C. Ogle 30, Pte. A. Garcia 38, Pte. L. A. Barros 32.

Pte. A. F. Ferreira—40—Lewis Gun and Star.

Musketry Badge.—The following man is entitled to wear the Single Rifle and Star: Pte. A. d'Aquino—Score 89.

Air Arm
Parade at Corps Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday 14th inst. for M.G. Instruction.

TRANSFER
The following members of the H.K.V.D.C. are transferred to Hong Kong Naval Volunteer Force with effect from April 1, 1936:—Lt. R. L. Moncreiff, Reserve of Officers; L/Corpl. L. D. Skinner, M.G.Bn.; Signal Section: Pte. J. Middleton-Smith, No. 1 (M.G.) Company; Pte. L. P. Ralph, Reserve Company, Section "B."

No. 2295, Sapper R. G. Griggs, R.O.D. Cadre is transferred to Corps 1st Battery, "A" Section with effect from April 9, 1936.

LEAVE

Lieut. C. de S. Robertson, M.M. granted leave as from 23.3.36 to 13.4.36.

Lieut. C. Blaker, M.C., A.S.C. Cadre, leave extended from 14.36 to 30.4.36.

L/Cpl. R. C. Butler, Armoured Car Section, granted leave as from 3.4.36 to 5.12.36.

Pte. E. Quinlan, No. 1 (M.G.) Company, granted leave as from 38.3.36 to 9.10.36.

Sergt. J. L. Tetley, No. 1 (M.G.) Company, granted leave as from 3.4.36 to 8.4.37.

Corpl. T. Seddon, No. 1 (M.G.) Company, granted leave as from 14.36 to 31.3.37.

COMMAND

Capt. J. Durran, M.B., Ch.B. (Edin) assumes command of the Medical Section with effect from to-day's date vice Major J. C. Macgown, M.B., Ch.B. (Edin).

STRUCK OFF THE STRENGTH
Leaving the Colony
No. 2173, Gunner G. B. Jones, Corps 1st Battery, "A" Section, as from November 1, 1935.

No. 1395, Cpl. F. S. W. Smith, Corps Engineers, as from 14.4.36.

No. 2533, Spr. C. H. D. Foley, Corps Engineers, as from 3.4.36.

No. 1763, Pte. G. H. Owen, No. 1 (M.G.) Company, as from 3.4.36.

STRENGTH

No. B/18, Private R. Dormer, P.W. Dept., Reserve Section B, 2.4.36.

No. 2592, Gunner R. Rocha, 6, Causeway Road, Battery "L" Section, 3.4.36.

No. 2593, Gunner L. L. Rocha, U.S. Rubber Export Co., Battery "L" Section, 3.4.36.

No. 2594, Pte. J. S. Dunnett, H.K. & Shanghai Bank, No. 1 (M.G.) Coy., 7.4.36.

No. 2595, Pte. B. S. Carter, H.K. & Shanghai Bank, No. 1 (M.G.) Coy., 7.4.36.

No. 2596, Pte. J. F. Leys, 7, Macdonnell Road, No. 2 (Scottish) Coy., 7.4.36.

(Sd.) R. C. B. ANDERSON, Captain, Adjutant, H.K.V.D.C.

AFFILIATED UNITS

Nursing Detachment, H.K.V.D.C.
There will be no lecture on Monday, 13th inst. owing to Easter Holidays.

(Sd.) K. DURRAN, Commandant, Nursing Detachment, H.K.V.D.C.

NOTICE

Corps Rifle Meeting
The Corps Rifle Meeting will be held at Kowloon Range on Sunday, April 19, 1936. Events as follows:

Corps Championship, Tyro Competition, Musketry Competition, Blake Shield Competition (Teams of four), Francis Cup Competition (Teams of four), Falling Plate Competition (Teams of four), Attack Competition (Teams of four), Revolver Competition.

Entry Fees.—For individual events—\$1 each, for Team events—\$2 each. Revolver Competition, post entries. Entries close on Tuesday, April 14, 1936.

The Corps Championship and Tyro Competition will be held first, starting at 9 a.m. Squadding Cards and Programme will be sent to competitors after entries are in.

Dress: Toppies, Jackets, Slacks, Boots, Equipment or Bandolier. Each man is responsible for his own rations. The Canteen will be in attendance.

There will be a meeting of the Committee on Tuesday, 14th inst.

DRUGS' POSSESSION

Leung Sze, (30) widow was sentenced to a total term of six months' imprisonment by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday for possession of 32 tals of raw opium and 2,000 heroin pills.

R. O. O'Neill who appeared for the prosecution said that Revenue Officer Ward raided No. 1 Hamilton Street, ground floor where the illicit goods were found in the possession of the defendant who was in a cockpit.

For the possession of raw opium accused was fined \$500 or three months, and for possession of heroin pills, was fined \$2,000 or six months, the sentences to run concurrently.

Another woman, Lau Mui (44) of No. 139 Fuk Wing Street, was charged with possession of 39 tals of raw opium. R. O. Dunlop said that the opium was found con-

NAVAL OFFICER HONOURED

Government House Investiture

A royal document signed by the late King George was produced at Government House yesterday when Paymaster-Commander E. A. Jolley, of H.M.S. Dorsetshire, was invested with the Order of the British Empire presented to him in the 1935 birthday honours.

The document was signed by the then Prince of Wales, now King Edward, as Grand Master of the Order, as well as by the late King.

Nearly 100 senior officers of the Navy and many women attended the investiture. Also present was Admiral Olin G. Murfin, Commander-in-Chief, of the United States Asiatic fleet, who was accompanied by Mrs. Murfin, Miss Murfin and Flag-Lieutenant Harrison. With them was Mrs. A. W. Bartholomew, wife of the G.O.C.

His Excellency the Governor, Sir Andrew Caldecott, who made the investiture, was attended by Vice-Admiral Sir Charles Little, Major-General A. W. Bartholomew and Capt. W. J. R. Cragg, A.D.C. who carried the insignia on a velvet cushion. Flag-Lieutenant M. B. P. Franklin attended the Admiral and Lieut. Howarth attended the G.O.C.

Paymaster-Commander Jolley, supported by Capt. A. J. L. Murray and Paymaster Commander N. H. Beall, entered the room with the Marines Band from H.M.S. Dorsetshire playing "God Save The King." After the reading of the Royal Warrant of Dignity and the presentation of the insignia, he was congratulated by the Governor, the Admiral and the G.O.C.

JEWISH LEADER ARRIVING TO-DAY

Desirous Of Meeting Local Leaders

Rabbi Edgar F. Magnin and family of Los Angeles will be arriving in Hong Kong by the Dollar Steamship Line "President Hoover" to-day.

Rabbi Magnin is the most prominent Jewish leader and radio broadcaster in California, and is in charge of the Wilshire Boulevard Tabernacle, Los Angeles.

He will remain in Hong Kong until the sailing of the "President Hayes" on Saturday morning at 8 o'clock, and during his stay here, he is desirous of meeting the leaders in the various Jewish communities.

POISONING CHARGE

Youth Gaoled

Sentence of four months' hard labour was imposed by Mr. Balfour at the Central Magistracy yesterday on Wong Kwok Shing, an 18 year-old unemployed who was convicted on a charge of administering poison to a family of six persons at No. 22, Mercer Street, on the night of March 23 last.

The complainants were Ng Hoi, 40, Yu Lee, 40, female, Ng Lung, 16, Ng Yuk, 12, female, Ng King, 9, female, and Li Sang, 15, female. Defendant was alleged to have visited them on the night of March 26 and had given them for dinner a duck, in which he had poured the poison. His excuse was that he was unemployed and wanted to make the inmates unconscious so that he could steal.

Accused had been remanded to enable the police to receive the Government Analyst's report on the nature of the poison. Yesterday, Detective-Sub-Inspector J. O'Donovan stated that it was a crude alkali of bella donna. He asked his Worship to take a serious view of the case, for though the complainants were in hospital not more than 48 hours, it might have turned out to be something worse.

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PASSIONTIDE MUSIC

Excellent Renditions

Passiontide Music was appropriately sung at St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon last night in connection with Maundy Thursday.

A very well selected programme was rendered by the artists, who one and all gave off their best, and incidentally brought forth the Easter feelings. The congregation was certainly delighted with the fare served and after the music was over nothing but praises were heard all round.

Mrs. E. St. G. Kirke (Soprano), Mrs. H. Lockhart (Contralto), Mr. W. H. Billing (Baritone), Master Ferdinand Lapslet (Trebble) were the artists and are to be heartily congratulated on their fine renderings, while Mr. Rupert Baldwin at the Organ, accompanied the singers in his inimitable and expert way.

THE PROGRAMME

The following was the programme rendered:

Choruses: (from "Messiah")—Handel, "Behold the Lamb of God" and "Surely He hath borne our griefs".

Chorale: The Music by Bach. Contralto Aria: (from "At the foot of the cross")—Dvorak.

Chorale: The Music by Bach. Bass Aria: (from "Messiah")—"Why do the heathen rage?"

Hymn: No. 108, A & M. Chorus: (from "At the foot of the cross"). Thou who art for ever blessed, Thou who art by all confessed, Now I lift my soul to Thee.

Soprano Aria: (from "Messiah"). "I know that my Redeemer liveth." Chorus: (from "At the foot of the cross").

Contralto and Soprano Arias: (from "Messiah"). "He shall feed His flock" and "Come unto Him." Chorus: (from "Messiah").

"Since by man came death, by man came also the resurrection." Hymn: The Music by John Ireland.

MUL-TSAI COMMISSION

Informal Meeting Held

London, March 25.

The Commission appointed by the Secretary of State for the Colonies to report on the mul-tai and kindred problems in Hong Kong and Malaya held an informal meeting at the Colonial Office yesterday. The Commissioners are arranging to sail for the East in the middle of April, and it is probable that they will be absent from England for some four months. Before sailing the Commissioners intend to make themselves acquainted with the views of those societies and persons in this country who have studied the problems under consideration and are able to assist the Commission in this way.

BRITAIN IS "LOW BROW"

"Lightest" Radio In Europe

London, March 27.

Britain and Denmark are the least seriously minded of the musical countries in Europe, if the character of the music broadcast from their national transmitters is a guide.

Nine European countries transmit more opera than Britain. France, Italy, Belgium, and Jugoslavia give their listeners the most.

These facts are revealed in tables published in the B.B.C.'s annual for 1936.

Considerably more light entertainment and dance music is broadcast in Britain than in any of the other 14 countries. Italy makes the most use of the spoken word; there is more than twice as much talk as Italian as in British programmes.

RADIO-MINDED AREAS
The most radio-minded country in the British Isles is Selkirk, which has more licences to population than any other, namely, 27 per cent. Hertfordshire leads the English countries with 25 per cent. Kent and Surrey tie for second

A CLOSE CALL IN HARBOUR

Blanket Of Fog Makes Shipping Dangerous

The thick blanket of fog that fell in the middle of the harbour about midday yesterday, gave shipping traffic in the harbour an anxious time.

Visibility from the Hong Kong side was very poor, and the ferry wharf management had to resort to ringing the warning bell every few minutes. From the Mainland however, visibility was good until half way across the harbour.

Although greatly harassed by the fog, the ferry services running across the harbour from Kowloon, Hungnam, Yau-matli and Sham-shui-poo, kept up with commendable exactitude to the schedules. Only one accident occurred when the Electric Star bound for Hong Kong came into a head on collision with the Northern Star, which had just left the Hong Kong wharf at 1 p.m.

SLEIGHT DAMAGE

The collision was slight, due to the promptness of action on the part of the coxswains of both the crafts who went "full speed astern" when the vessels loomed up near each other. Passengers on both vessels rushed to the front to see what had happened, though it was noted that two members of the latter sex lost no time to get to the stern of the Northern Star, in their anxiety perhaps, to get out of harms' way! Another fair passenger seated foreward on the Northern Star, fainted in the excitement that reigned, and had to be revived. Only slight damage was sustained by the two ferries. Once out of the bank, the Northern Star made fast time to the Mainland.

ANOTHER THRILL

Passengers of the Electric Star at 11.55 a.m. were also given a thrill when after a slow passage across the harbour, they eventually found themselves within a stone's throw of the Vehicular Ferry Wharf. Two Yau-matli ferry boats—one approaching the wharf and one leaving were seen in an alarmingly close proximity. The Electric Star passed the outgoing ferry with only a few feet to spare, while a junk making its way towards the Praya wall did not make the situation any the more comfortable!

Later on in the afternoon—3 p.m., to be precise, the Northern Star crossing from Kowloon had a narrow shave when she almost collided with the Solar Star bound for the Mainland. Both vessels were nosing their way across and when in the thick of the fog in the middle of the harbour, passengers of the Northern Star faintly discerned a bulk looming in front of them. Engines were reversed "full speed astern" while the Solar swung round to starboard. A collision seemed imminent but the vessels passed within a few feet of each other!

Further excitement was in store for passengers of the ferry which left Kowloon at 5.25 p.m. The fog which still persisted heavily in the harbour entirely obliterated any object even ten yards away. When about a quarter of the way across the harbour, the Submarine Otus suddenly loomed up, broadside on the on-coming ferry. The latter vessel at once reversed her engines while the submarine nosed her way in a northerly direction. Both crafts passed within a few yards of each other.

A launch belonging to the Marine Surveyor came into collision with a Star Ferry launch early in the afternoon, but fortunately there was very little damage suffered by the smaller craft.

place with 22 per cent, and Cambridgehire is third with 21 per cent. The figure for the London area is 16 per cent, and that for Northern Ireland only 6 per cent.

Television is discussed in a special section. It is recognised that television may not want to glue their attention to the screen for all types of programme.

Two tendencies, it is suggested, may emerge in programme presentation. In the televising of, for example, a football match, vision will be primary and sound a sub-ordinated theme. The opposite extreme, with vision subsidiary, may be represented by a poetry reading.

Between these two extremes are many shades of programme which may well be illustrated intermittently on the television screen and not with continuous pictures likely to exhaust mind and eye.



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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG KONG.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

IN THE GOODS OF JOHN SUTHERLAND, LATE OF VICTORIA, IN THE COLONY OF HONG KONG, WARDER, DECEDENT, INTERSTATE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Court has, by virtue of Section 58 of the Probates Ordinance 1897, made an Order limiting the time for creditors and others to send in their claims against the above estate to the 7th MAY, 1936.

All Creditors and others are accordingly hereby required to send their claims to the undersigned on or before that date.

Dated the 9th day of April, 1936.

JOHNSON, STOKES & MASTER, Solicitors for the Administrators. The Hongkong & Shanghai Bank Building, Hong Kong. [4354]

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG KONG.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

IN THE GOODS OF AUBREY MAURICE BOWEN-SMITH, LATE OF 518, THE PEAK, IN THE COLONY OF HONG KONG, EX-CHANGE BROKER, DECEDENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Court has, by virtue of the provisions of Section 58 of Ordinance No. 2 of 1897, made an order limiting the time for creditors and others to send in their claims against the above estate to 5th MAY, 1936.

All Creditors and others are accordingly hereby required to send their claims to the undersigned on or before that date.

DEACONS, Solicitors for the Executrix, 1, Des Vaux Road Central, Hong Kong. [4352]

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG KONG.

ORIGINAL JURISDICTION

MISCELLANEOUS PROCEEDINGS No. 16 of 1936.

IN THE MATTER OF COLIN MACKENZIE AND COMPANY LIMITED (And Reduced)

and IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPANIES ORDINANCE 1932.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Petition for confirming the reduction of the paid up and issued capital of the above Company from \$100,000.00 to \$75,000.00 was on the 20th day of March, 1936, presented to the Supreme Court of Hong Kong and is now pending. A list of the persons admitted to have been Creditors of the above Company on the 3rd day of April, 1936, (the date fixed by the Order in this matter dated the 27th day of March, 1936) may be inspected at the office of Messrs. Deacons, the Solicitors to the Company at No. 1, Des Vaux Road Central, Hong Kong at any time during usual business hours.

Any person who claims to have been on the last mentioned day and to have been a Creditor of the Company and who is not entered in the said list and claims to be so entered must, on or before the 17th day of April, 1936 send in his name and address and the particulars of his claim and the name and address of his Solicitor (if any) to the undersigned at No. 1, Des Vaux Road Central aforesaid or in default thereof he will be precluded from objecting to the proposed reduction of capital.

Dated this 3rd day of April, 1936.

DEACONS, Solicitors to the Company, 1, Des Vaux Road Central, Hong Kong.

N.B.—The title of the Proceedings appearing in the previous Notice on 3rd April, 1936 was erroneously stated to be, "Miscellaneous Proceedings No. 16 of 1934."

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE THIRD EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (Weather Permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on SATURDAY, 11th and MONDAY, 13th APRIL, 1936, commencing at 12.30 P.M. on each day.

The First Bell will be rung at 12 NOON on each day.

By Order, S. A. SLEAP, Actg. Secretary. Hong Kong, 6th April, 1936. [4340]

ADVERTISEMENTS.

ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE, STANLEY.

THE Summer Term begins April 14th. New Students should attend on that day. For prospectus, for Boarders and Day-boys, apply St. Stephen's College, Stanley. [4346]

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FIFTY-FIRST Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Company (since its registration) will be held at the Hong Kong Hotel, Hong Kong, on Wednesday, the 15th April, 1936, at 11.30 A.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st October, 1935.

The Register of Shares of the Company will be closed from Saturday, the 11th day of April, to Friday, the 17th day of April, 1936, both days inclusive, during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers. Hong Kong, 4 April, 1936. [4387]

THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

NOTICE is hereby given that the ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTIETH ORDINARY MEETING of Shareholders in the Company will be held at the Office of the Company, Queen's Building, Victoria, Hong Kong, on Wednesday, the 22nd April, 1936, at noon, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts, and re-electing Directors and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 16th April to the 22nd April, 1936, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors. H. DA LUZ, Secretary. Hong Kong, 8th April, 1936. [4342]

THE INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

THE Fifty-fifth Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the Offices of the General Managers, Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., Pedder Street, Hong Kong, on Wednesday, 22nd April, 1936, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, passing the Accounts, and electing Directors and Auditors.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be CLOSED from the 15th April to the 6th May inclusive.

By Order of the Board, JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., LTD., General Managers. Hong Kong 2nd April, 1936. [4333]

SOVIET-MONGOL PACT PROTEST

Rejection By Russia

Moscow, Apr. 9. The Soviet reply to the Chinese protest regarding the Russo-Outer Mongolia defensive treaty has been communicated to the Chinese charge d'affaires by M. Maxim Litvinoff, the Commissar for Foreign Affairs.

The Russian reply rejects the Chinese protest as unfounded, but at the same time expresses the deep conviction that the Government of the Chinese Republic will arrive at the conclusion that the protocol does not contradict the Peking Agreement and is in the interests of the Mongolian as well as the Chinese nation.

BOMBING PLANES FOR CHINA ON ORDER

Los Angeles, Apr. 8. Thirty-one long-range, high-speed bombers are to be constructed at the Vultee Aircraft Works for China's Air Force.

The machines will be adapted from the Vultee single-engine, low-winged transport monoplane at present used by several American airlines.

The Vultee bombers will have a cruising speed of at least 205 miles per hour and a range of 1,000 miles.

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NOT OURS TO GIVE AWAY

Those who propose to disarm must also prepare to disown. Just for that reason it was logical in Mr. Lansbury to raise the question of sharing out the British Empire; if the Pacific is not prepared to fight under any provocation whatsoever, it follows that he cannot defend and may as well therefore disown his possessions before the process of dispossession begins. That process it will take energy and courage to avoid; but we are encouraged in the belief that these qualities are not dead in the British breast by the brief statement of Mr. Thomas in the House of Commons recently. "His Majesty's Government," said the Secretary of State, "has not considered, and is not considering, the handing over of any of the British Colonies or territories held under mandate."

We may conclude that as our Government does not propose to disown the British Empire it is preparing, if need be, to defend it. It is a grave but a worthy decision.

Our Socialists, apart from Mr. Lansbury, can hardly be called Pacifists, because they are ready to rush into war in the cause of peace, but they shrink from any idea of defending the British Empire, and no doubt for that reason they daily with two ideas, one to hand back the mandated territories and the other to "internationalise" as Professor Laski calls it, the British Empire. On the former point, as our Political Correspondent stated, some pertinent considerations have been raised by Conservative Members. They describe these mandated territories as an honourable trust, and they point out that this is a conflict not merely as to possession but of ideals. In those great regions of tropical Africa which are administered as British Colonies the native is allowed the liberties and customs of his own tribal system. He cultivates his native land, sells his native produce and governs himself or is governed by his chief in his own village. He is not drilled; he is not exploited. Interference only comes when his customs darken into intolerable cruelties. Would the Africans after enjoying this easy rule be content to go back to the old system of militarised servitude, which was commonly called the rule of the kiboko? Or would they be delivered over against their will? We considered what happened to the Assyrians when they were handed over to the tender mercies of the Iraqi Mohammedans. Sir Henry Page Croft recently put the delicate question—"Is it suggested that Palestine should be handed over to Germany?" Or if not to Germany then to Turkey? The natural reply to such questions suggests a conflict of ideals, of methods of administration, of consideration for the governed, which makes it impossible without injustice and breach of trust to carry out such a transfer.

So with the other proposal to place the British Empire under an international authority. The self-governing Dominions may be ruled out at once since they control their own destinies and would reject any such idea with a summary contempt. But the Crown Colonies, although they are governed more directly, have also acquired under our rule the right to a say in the administration. Even in the most backward cases their feelings and their sentiments have to be considered. And strange as it may seem to our Internationalists, these Colonial subjects are proud of the flag under which they are born and their status under the Crown. For these reasons if for no other such a transfer would be a shameful transaction, and self-respecting Britons will rejoice that their Government has chosen the more arduous but more honourable alternative. As to the question of raw materials the result of the inter-departmental inquiry, which was reported, suggests that there is no ground for grievance since both Crown Colonies and mandated territories are ready to sell their produce to any nation which is ready to buy it.

NEW ELECTION AVERTED

Only Two Japanese For S.M.C.

Shanghai, April 9. Nominations of Shanghai Municipal Council candidates closed at noon. Five British, two Americans and two Japanese entered and thus a fresh election is averted. The British and American candidates are the same as those who were victorious on March 24, but Mr. Go, who headed the Japanese poll, yields his place to Mr. Uraba, who was defeated. The elected members now are Brig.-Gen. Maenaghten, Messrs. Keswick, Mitchell, Porter and Arnold (British), Calhoun and Franklin (American), Yamamoto and Uraba (Japanese).

FORMER FIASCO

Shanghai, April 9. The Committee of three—a Briton, an American and a Japanese—appointed by the Municipal Council to inquire into the recent election scandal, finds that responsibility for failure to make a complete count of the votes must be shared by the two scrutineers, Mr. A. J. Welch and Mr. G. Boulton, together with the Secretary of the Council, Mr. J. R. Jones, and the Deputy Treasurer of Revenue, Mr. V. H. Bourne.

The Committee recommends new rules for the conduct of elections and the counting of votes, as well as the appointment of a Committee to define the responsibilities and duties of senior officials of the Council.

It will be recalled that after the election, it was discovered that, by some unaccountable inadvertence, 323 ballot papers had remained in the box and had not been counted.

—Reuter.

EASTER HOLIDAYS

There will be no issue of the "Daily Press" to-morrow (Saturday). Publication will be resumed on Monday.

FORGED BANK NOTES

Large Seizures In Canton

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, April 9. Owing to the presence of counterfeit notes supposed to be those of Hong Kong banks, new paper money is accepted here with great caution. Merchants examine all new bank notes over and over before accepting them.

The false notes purport to be those of the Hong Kong Government, the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, and the Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation. The counterfeit money looks very much like real, as they are photographic reproductions, and the water mark resembles the genuine one. About 150,000 forged notes of \$100 denomination purporting to be those of the Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation were unearthed by the gendarmes, while the police discovered one-dollar "notes" bearing the name of the Government of Hong Kong and \$100,000 ten-dollar notes bearing the name of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China.

It is difficult to distinguish the spurious notes at one glance. The forged notes are intended for circulation here on account of their wide use in Canton. Hong Kong notes are used in various transactions and are welcome more than legal tender. This is due to the fluctuation of Chinese government bank-notes and their lack of international exchange value.

FAMOUS PROFESSOR PASSES

(Hong Kong Daily Press Special)

Stockholm, April 11. The famous Austrian physiologist and Nobel Prize winner, Professor Robert Barany, who since 1917 held a chair for Physiology and Pathology at Upsala University, died at Upsala, aged 60. During the World War Barany served as military doctor in the Austro-Hungarian Army, and was taken prisoner by the Russians in 1925, but was again released as invalid. In 1914 he received for his researches in physiology the Nobel Prize.

RICKSHAW MEN RETURN TO THEIR WORK

Slight Rearrangement Of Hiring Terms

Shanghai, Apr. 4. The Chairman of the Rickshaw Owners Association interviewed the Rickshaw Board yesterday and assured them the owners would resume normal operations this morning. Licences for April will be applied for on the 6th inst. and the Board agreed to allow the P.M.A.A. contribution for April to be paid at the end of April, instead of simultaneously with the taking out of licences, on the written undertaking by the Chairman of the Owners Association that this would be duly done.

The Pullers Mutual Aid Association yesterday issued the following notice to its members:—"At a meeting of the Board of Management held yesterday, it was decided that, beginning April 4, if the majority of our members are still without rickshaws to pull, the Association would give assistance to unemployed members at the rate of 15 cents (big money) each per day. This was approved by the trustees and all preparations were made accordingly. But information has now been received that the owners will hire out their rickshaws as usual, beginning from the morning of April 4. We therefore urge you to resume your work as usual and are glad that your livelihood is better assured than it could be by the proposed scheme, which now, of course, will not eventuate."

ON THE SERVICE Nearly all the rickshaws hitherto withdrawn had been put back on the streets last night. At 5 o'clock, it was estimated that 7,000, or 70 per cent. of the vehicles operating in the Settlement, had been restored to service. The small rickshaws took the lead in releasing rickshaws to the pullers.

The owners whose rickshaws had enjoyed the protection of Sinza and Gordon Road Police Stations on Thursday night started to claim their vehicles early yesterday morning. Throughout the day they came, searched for their property in the tightly packed rows and on proving ownership, were permitted to take the rickshaws away.

many instances they brought their pullers with the missing cushions and seat boards, so that, when a rickshaw left the station compound, it was ready for service.

While the lock-out still was partly in force, special arrangements were made to feed the unemployed pullers and their families. In many instances, the rickshaw owners themselves provided food for their men. A system of selling five-cent tickets redeemable at food shops was inaugurated at the Pullers Mutual Aid Association centre in Markham Road. Three hundred such tickets were issued there during the early hours of yesterday.

In the French Concession, similar conditions obtained. The 300 rickshaws taken from the hongs to a vacant space off Rue Admiral Bayle were reclaimed by their owners, most of them during the morning.

Owners with hongs in Route Prentice commenced on Thursday, the second day of the lock-out, to pay their coolies 20 cents per day as food allowance during the period of suspension. There are approximately 1,000 men attached to these hongs.

The situation in the French Concession returned to normal yesterday about noon, when practically all the owners in the district resumed business. The principal owners had been summoned by the French Police to a conference the previous day, when they were instructed to put their vehicles into circulation. For the relief of the pullers, the owners agreed to distribute 20 cents to each coolie. A meeting subsequently was held by the owners, but no decision was reached. At 3 a.m. yesterday, a delegation called on the authorities, reporting that the owners had failed to agree to end the lock-out, but on representations by the police, the owners finally agreed to resume business. A notice to this effect was posted in front of the branch office of the Pullers Mutual Aid Association in Rue Admiral Bayle at 11.30 a.m.

(N. C. D. N.)

ARMY BOXING

Open Team Inter-Unit Finals

The Final of the Open Team Inter-Unit Boxing in the Hong Kong Area Championship was held last night at Murray Barracks. The match was between the 2nd Bn. the East Lancashire Regiment and the 2nd Bn. the Royal Welch Fusiliers. The contest was won by the East Lanes. by 24 points to 21.

One of the finest fights of the evening was that between Pte. Whitehouse and Fus. Ross. Ross in this fight took terrific punishment, but each time he was felled he pluckily rose only to be sent to the canvas once more. The fight was given to Whitehouse in the second round, when the referee stopped the fight.

The shortest fight was the Heavyweight contest where Bagby was knocked out in less than a minute.

THE RESULTS

Bantamweight.

Fus. Fisher (Fusiliers) beat Pte. Bennett.

Featherweight.

Fus. Owens (Fusiliers) beat Dmr. M. Quiller.

Lightweight.

Pte. Whitehouse beat Fus. Ross (Fusiliers).

Light Heavyweight.

Pte. Walsh beat Fus. Kearny (Fusiliers).

Middleweight.

L/Cpl. Powell (Fusiliers) beat Pte. Tomlinson.

Heavyweight.

Pte. Broome beat Fus. Jones (Fusiliers).

Welterweight.

Pte. Nelson beat Fus. Morgan (Fusiliers).

Pte. Smith beat Fus. Thomas (Fusiliers).

Fus. Davies (Fusiliers) beat Pte. Scullion.

Fus. Thomas (Fusiliers) beat Pte. Lennon.

L/Cpl. Grey beat Fus. Davies (Fusiliers).

Cpl. Weaver (Fusiliers) ko. Pte. Howle in the second round.

Bdm. Sage ko. Fus. Thomas (Fusiliers) in the first round.

CHINESE ART TREASURES

Returning Homeward By Ranpura

London, April 9.

Ninety cases of Chinese art treasures left aboard the P. & O. liner Ranpura from Tilbury today for China.

The treasures were sent from Burlington House to Tilbury in five heavily guarded lorries. Mr. Lambie, Secretary of the Royal Academy and Dr. F. T. Cheng accompanied the lorries to the Ranpura and formally relinquished responsibility.

Chinese experts carry a complete set of photographs of the exhibition and quantities of catalogues for use if similar exhibition are held in China.

H.M.S. Scout will escort the liner Ranpura from Tilbury to the open sea, H.M.S. Veteran to Gibraltar and Malta, H.M.S. Verity from Malta to Port Said, H.M.S. Dauntless to Colombo and Shanghai.

DUTCH CREDIT FOR FRANCE

Amsterdam, April 9.

Negotiations for granting a credit of one million francs to the Bank of France are now being conducted here with representatives of a Dutch Bank Syndicate, according to rumours in financial circles here.

Transocean News Service.

Light-Heavyweight.

Dmr. Atkins beat Fus. Thyer (Fusiliers).

Heavyweight.

Pte. Green ko. Fus. Bagby (Fusiliers) in the first round.

—Reuter.

NEWS SUMMARY

The Diocesan Girls' School held their Annual School Sports yesterday. Page 10.

In the Inter-Unit Hockey final played yesterday, the H.K.S. Brigade defeated the Punjabis by the only goal scored. Page 10.

The heavy blanket of fog which prevailed in the harbour yesterday very nearly had repercussions when the ferries escaped collision with each other on several occasions. Page 7.

One of the most extraordinary tales of mass stowing away aboard a British steamer will be unfolded with the arrival in Hong Kong today of the China Navigation steamer Kwai-yang from Bangkok. Page 7.

Paymaster-Commander E. A. Jolley, R.N., of H.M.S. Dorsetshire, was invested with the insignia of Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire by His Excellency the Governor, Sir Andrew Caldecott, Kt., C.M.G., C.B.E., at Government House at noon yesterday. Page 7.

The death of a cyclist which occurred on March 13 when he was knocked down by a lorry formed the subject of a charge before a court yesterday. Page 6.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Mr. F. A. Munn accompanied by Mrs. Munn and Master David will be leaving the Colony on the 18th inst. by the s.s. "Naldara" on transfer to England. Mr. Munn is the well-known K.C.C. cricketer and has been in the Colony for three years.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. W. Smith and son are also leaving on the s.s. "Naldara" for England for good. Mr. F. S. W. Smith is the K.C.C. cricketer and lawn bowls player and will be greatly missed by both sections of the Club. Mr. Smith has been in the Colony for some fourteen years and has been connected with Messrs. Dodwell & Co., Ltd.

A Mixed Doubles Tennis Tournament will be held at the Civil Service Cricket Club on Easter Sunday commencing at 3 p.m.

A Chinese woman, aged about 70 years, who accidentally fell into the harbour from Sand Street, West Point, died in the Government Civil Hospital on Wednesday night.

The Burns, Philip Line m.v. "Neptuna" from Melbourne, Sydney, Salamaus, Rabaul and Manila, left Sydney for this port on the 1st instant and is due to arrive here on April 29, 1936.

Members of the K.C.C. are advised that a Whist Drive has been arranged for Wednesday, April 15 at 9.15 p.m. in the Main Hall.

The "Empress of Russia" will arrive in Hong Kong to-day morning and sail for Manila at 5 p.m. the same day.

One case each of diphtheria and cerebro-spinal fever were reported to the Health Authorities for the 24 hours ended on Wednesday.

JAPAN'S AMBASSADOR TO CHINA

Mr. Kawagoe To Be Appointed?

Tokyo, April 11.

The "Yomiuri Shimbun" learns that before Mr. Arita proceeded to Shanghai he informed Mr. Arana's feelings respecting Mr. Shigemitsu, which ruled out that the latter was for China.

The paper adds that it has been informally decided to appoint Mr. Kawagoe, Consul General in Tientsin, as Ambassador to China.

Mr. Shigemitsu, Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs, has handed in his resignation, for reasons of ill-health.

Mr. Arita is reported to have decided to appoint Mr. Kenji Horuchi, Director of the Bureau of American Affairs at the Foreign Office, Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs. The appointment will be brought up before the Cabinet to-morrow for approval.

Mr. Yoshida's appointment as Ambassador to the Court of St. James has been held up, owing to the non-receipt of Britain's agreement, due to the usual formalities.

—London.

—Reuter.

NOTHING BUT PARADE OF WORDS

German Reception Of French Peace Plan

(Hong Kong Daily Press Special)

Berlin, April 9. The unfavourable reception given the French memorandum by the German press is summed up in one single word "Backwards" as the heading of an editorial in the "Lokal Anzeiger". The first few words of the French memorandum, says the paper, reveal the spirit inspiring Flandin's policy—it is the same old song of noble France wearing itself out in the cause of peace and of wicked Germany which disregards treaties and is never satisfied.

That is the French answer, or rather the French Government's answer to the German proposals, one of the main points of which was the demand for moral disarmament. France sets up treaty rights against what Germany terms her right of living, and even goes so far as to say that the demilitarised Rhineland zone, which was added to the Treaty of Versailles for the benefit of France, is a guarantee for Europe against new German enterprises.

Turning to the peace plan proper, the "Lokal Anzeiger" says that it sounds almost like mockery, when the French memorandum begins with the French declaration that France desires peace with equal rights of all, confidence and honour. The article concludes by saying that it is nothing but a parade of words, but the determination to put these words into action is not to be found.

What Germany thinks about the French counter-proposals for the stabilisation of peace in Europe is eloquently voiced by the headlines in this morning's newspapers which convey more by their brevity and unanimity than the lengthy leading articles that follow.

The "Berliner Tageblatt" says "Answer and counter-plan of French Government—No answer at all."

The "Deutsch-Algemeine Zeitung" which often gives the views of industrial circles, calls the French counter-plan "A skyscraper of parts and dreams for Europe." The "Boersen Zeitung" which has the closest touch with financial circles, declares that "France remains reactionary."

The "Lokal Anzeiger" regrets "No Nearer: No Peace" and adds facetiously that the plan is a contribution to the Geneva archives. "Das Ruhr," a paper for business men, who scan it in the bus on their way to their offices, describes the French document as "The Same Old Story" while the mid-day paper "Bismarck" which usually summarises impressions created on the German public by the morning papers, carries a heavy headline "Sharp Criticism in England—French Counter-Plan Utterly Impracticable—Even in Paris one recognises the Old Chimeras."

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PLAN CONDEMNED IN FRANCE

Received Everywhere With Indifference

(Hong Kong Daily Press Special)

Paris, Apr. 9.

Judging from the reception given by the French press, M. Flandin's plan for establishing permanent peace in Europe finds scarcely more approval than in other countries, many papers showing open mistrust of the efficacy of the proposals and uneasiness at the way they are likely to be received in Germany.

The "Echo de Paris," which is considered to be the mouthpiece of the French General Staff, publishes from Geneva the verdict of its political correspondent that the "French memorandum is a clear, positive and valid rejection of Germany's arguments advanced to justify the action of March 7. The declaration of peace, however, is certainly not from the same pen. The French peace plan looks like an electrifying placard because it summarises all the Geneva chimeras from 1924 to 1931. It is designed only to impress the popular masses.

"The plan shows an unhappy disposition to make the fate of Europe dependent on the will of the League."

GENEVA DOUBTS
The political correspondent of the semi-official "Excelsior" in Geneva declares that logically the French plan ought to have been received with enthusiasm in Geneva, but in reality it has not met with the understanding and sympathy desired. Admittedly the French plan is not quite new, but on the other hand it reflects clearly the last 15 years of Geneva's work. France does not evade direct negotiation with Germany within the framework of the League of Nations organisation or through diplomatic channels but could not begin on a basis of "false

accomplish," and as Germany has made not the least gesture to meet France in this respect, France would neglect any means for applying pressure to enforce its rights.

Another Geneva correspondent declares bluntly that the people of Europe are hungry for peace and will not be appeased by "plans," and that if the Anglo-French divergence of views continues the League of Nations itself will soon be a thing of the past.

SCOPTICISM EVERYWHERE
The French plan has been received everywhere with indifference and scepticism. The heavy industries organ, "Ordre," disapproves of the French plan because it corresponds neither with practical realities nor with the possibilities of realisation. The Nationalist "Jour" rejects the plan because of its Utopian and inopportune quality, and that it serves only to bring the French attitude towards Germany into miscredit.

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FEARS ENTERTAINED IN BRITISH PRESS

Organised Security Scale Magnitude

London, April 9.

The French reply to the German memorandum of April 1 and the proposals for consolidation of peace by the organisation of security by mutual assistance and arms limitations as well as widespread economic financial reconstruction were made public yesterday and are reproduced in full this morning in the leading newspapers.

The accompanying editorial comment is unanimous in recognising convictions in favour of organised security which inspires the French plan, but apprehension is evident in the undertaking on the scale envisaged would not inevitably be frustrated in the conclusive discussions.

This fear is most explicit in the "Daily Telegraph" which thinks the plan has no wise elaboration and detail and this idea is echoed by the "Manchester Guardian" which declares that Mr. Eden was right to advocate a restricted programme for this year's negotiations.

"PEACE PLANS"
Both the "Times" and "Telegraph" find the proposals wholly impracticable in many parts but the "Telegraph" makes the points regarding the growing number of "peace plans" that "if all these projects were thrown into the common pool, statesmanship would be undeserving of the name if it could not extract from them something that would give a better guarantee than we have now of peace."

The "Daily Express" thinks before joining in the reorganisation of Europe the Empire should be bound into a single framework and it urges Britain to turn to its own tasks first, while regarding Europe's efforts to rebuild with all goodwill. The caustic French comments on the more plausible arguments in the German memorandum are generally approved for their substance if not for their tone.

COVENANT VIOLATION
At the same time both the "Daily Herald" and the "News Chronicle" contrast the French explicit proposals for implementing and strengthening the guarantees of the Covenant and obligations to

EUROPEAN PEACE

Discussion In House Of Lords

London, Apr. 8.

The leader of the Opposition in the House of Lords (Lord Snell) raised the question of the international situation this afternoon. Lord Halifax, intervening in the debate, said discussions on the Italo-Abyssinian dispute were taking place at Geneva and he was not in a position to add anything to what the Foreign Secretary had said on Monday when he had emphasised the need for a cessation of hostilities and the restoration of peace. Lord Halifax agreed with Lord Snell that the League, whatever the limitations on its effectiveness due to various causes, could not be said to have failed.

Turning to Europe the Lord Privy Seal said the method chosen by Germany to force her claims on world attention had dealt a shattering and far-reaching blow at the foundations on which international order had been raised. It might be true that this was the era of grievances but that afforded no justification for an action which left in doubt whether, when an era of grievances was closed, resort might again be had to the method used by Germany. There could be no hope of settlement unless they could be, absolutely and positively sure that no such method would be resorted to again in any circumstances.

STAFF TALKS OBJECT
The staff conversations which were to take place, Lord Halifax emphasised, were only concerned with the discharge of existing obligations. There was not any hope of peace by a return to the pre-war system of alliances but by rational understandings which would reinforce the obligations of the Covenant and would aid its object of guaranteeing in advance resistance by all disposable means to any wanton disturbance of peace. Government stood by their obligations and because these were more specific in the West, it did not mean they did not apply to the East.

With the single object of securing peace, Government was engaged in an examination of the German memorandum of April 1. Lord Halifax said he hoped France and Belgium would be not less willing than Britain to give full recognition to the rightful claim of Germany to equality but he also hoped the German Government would recognise its responsibilities to Europe. Trust begot trust. To establish peace conflicting prejudices and obligations must be set aside and the interest of Europe must be reconciled as a whole.

British Wireless.

BRITAIN'S ROAD TOLL

London, April 9.

The road accident figures last week were 101 killed and 2,532 injured. In the corresponding period last year 85 were killed and 3,185 injured.

The figures for the whole of 1935 show 6,502 killed and 221,728 injured compared with 7,343 killed and 231,603 injured in 1934.

British Wireless.

GERMAN DELEGATE RETURNS

London, April 9.

Herr von Ribbentrop is returning to Berlin to-day. He left Croydon this morning by plane.

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respect treaties with the French attitude to flagrant violation of the Covenant in Abyssinia.

Their attitude is summed up by the "Times" which says with reference to yesterday's proceedings at Geneva the "contention will no doubt be heard that the moment when France is submitting proposals to build upon the Covenant a more secure edifice of international security and when Germany has offered to rejoin the League and to accept the obligations of the Covenant is certainly not a moment to confess that the Covenant is worthless."

DOOR NOT CLOSED

The fact that the French reply does not close the door to negotiation is recognised and welcomed, while the wide divergence which still exists between the French and German positions is admitted. On this the "Times" expresses the prevailing sentiment. The task of reconciling the opposing views cannot be abandoned. So far from having ended in failure it has hardly begun.

British Wireless.



A recent portrait of Chancellor Adolf Hitler, whose action in the Rhineland has raised a difficult problem in Europe.

HOLIDAY RUSH IN BRITAIN

London, April 9.

All Railway Companies have made plans for the holiday rush exceeding anything undertaken in past years. Services are augmented and main expresses are running in several parts.

The crowded roads are providing the authorities with many problems in anticipation and a special campaign for road safety was inaugurated last night by broadcast by the Transport Minister.

The Automobile Association is arranging for aeroplanes trailing banners with safety slogans to patrol the seaside resorts and other centres of attraction.

British Wireless.

STEEL PRODUCTION IN BRITAIN

London, April 9.

Last month the production of steel ingots and castings in the United Kingdom reached the highest tonnage on record at 980,100 tons compared with 938,500 tons the month before and 841,900 tons a year ago.

Production of pig iron in March amounted to 857,600 tons against 584,700 tons the month before and 554,200 tons a year ago.

British Wireless.

EASTER PROGRAMME OF ROYALTY

London, April 9.

The King went to Westminster Abbey this morning and, in accordance with the century old custom, distributed Maundy money to eighty four persons of both sexes. After attending a regimental review this afternoon, His Majesty goes to Fort Belvedere, Windsor, for Easter.

The Queen and other members of the Royal Family will be at Windsor Castle.

British Wireless.

ITALIAN AIR SERVICE CONSCRIPTION

Rome, April 9.

After a speech by Signor Mussolini at the Cabinet meeting yesterday, the Cabinet issued a decree that a certain portion of the conscripts be drafted to the military air force. This is the first time compulsory conscription has been introduced into the air service.

Another decree states that mines in the Italian African possessions will be under government control.

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Alleged Agitation On American Ships

New York, April 9.

Allegations of agitation among the crew of the President Garfield were made when the liner docked after her world cruise, says the "New York Times." It was revealed that the Captain refused to bring back two members of the engine room crew from Genoa and left another behind for insubordination and radical activities. A fourth member was quietly put ashore in Italy to await passage home by a foreign boat.

The passengers are reported to have been most indignant at the attitude of the stewards, who were alleged to have been also concerned in Red agitation, and failed to render proper service.

The Captain of the liner is quoted as saying: Ninety per cent of the crew were terrorised by a radical spy system, a veritable Russian Ceka which held sway of the ship.

Reuter.

PEACE EFFORTS AT GENEVA

Prompt Cessation Of Hostilities

Geneva, April 8.

The Committee of Eighteen has gone into action to attempt to put a stop to the Italo-Ethiopian war. The British attitude is that hostilities must cease immediately, and negotiations within the League framework be instituted at once. The French, on the other hand, are afraid of rushing the matter, and causing complications.

The Committee of Thirteen has empowered Senor Madariaga, its chairman, and M. Joseph Avenol, to see the Italian envoy, Baron Aloisi, and to discover the Italian attitude with regard to steps towards the cessation of hostilities in Ethiopia.

The Committee has also decided to appoint a small sub-committee of jurists to examine into whether the question of the violation of the gas convention is within the competence of the Committee or should be dealt with by the Council of the League.

If the efforts of Senor Madariaga and M. Avenol did not result in an agreement to negotiate for the cessation of hostilities, the British Government must reserve its attitude, declared Mr. Anthony Eden, the Foreign Secretary and British delegate to the Committee.

He emphasised that there must be no further delay and that they must demand an immediate cessation of hostilities and negotiation within the framework of the League of Nations.

M. Pierre Flandin, the French Foreign Minister, deprecated rushing matters and suggested giving Senor Madariaga and M. Avenol until April 14 to get a reply from Rome.

Mr. Eden dryly observed that there seemed no real danger of the Committee being accused of rushing the matter.

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GENEVA WAITING FOR ITALIAN REPLY

Committee's Competence Under Examination

London, April 9.

Geneva messages state that the outcome of the interview of the Chairman of the Committee of Thirteen, Senor Madariaga, with the Italian representative, whom he is to ask for definite assurances regarding peace negotiations to which the Italian Government has agreed in principle, is anxiously awaited.

The Committee meets again this afternoon when the report of jurists on its competence in the matter of alleged violations of anti-gas and other conventions is expected to be ready.

British Wireless.

ITALY DENIES USE OF POISON GAS

(Hong Kong Daily Press Special)

Rome, April 9. Although the employment of poison gas is not denied in Italian circles, it is stated that first it will have to be plainly proved. The semi-official "Giornale d'Italia" also denies that evidence has been found, and declares all reports to be malicious rumours. It denies the Committee of Thirteen's right to investigate these "unfounded utterances."

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FRENCH STATEMENT ON GERMAN ACTION

Points From Peace Plan Memorandum

(Hong Kong Daily Press Special)

Geneva, April 8. M. Flandin's elaborate Peace Proposals as well as the Memorandum, handed to the British Government, defining the French attitude towards the remilitarisation of the Rhineland and Hitler's Proposals, were published by the French delegation here on Wednesday.

The Peace Plan will be submitted to the League of Nations as well as to the three Locarno Powers, England, Belgium and Italy, and it is moreover announced that M. Flandin and M. Paul-Boncour will inform the delegates of these three powers as to the French attitude concerning the decisions to be taken as a result of the "negative attitude of Germany" towards the Four Power Agreement of March 19.

The Memorandum, which constitutes the French answer to Hitler's proposals, begins by stating that after Germany's denunciation of the Locarno Treaty, France refrained from taking the justifiable steps to restore the legal status, because she was desirous of peace. For this reason the four Locarno Powers had drawn up an agreement which took due account of Germany's grievances, but which was nevertheless rejected by the German Government. The question is raised, whether Germany reserves for herself the right to contest all territorial adjustments laid down in the Peace Treaties.

JURISTIC ARGUMENTS
The Memorandum then deals with the German Government's juristic arguments in support of the action of March 7. The fact remains that Germany sets herself up as judge of her own actions, whereas the Locarno Treaty expressly fixes arbitration for differences of opinion. That Germany has refused to submit the case to the International Court at Hague, is a confession of the weakness of her juristic arguments.

The document then goes on to say that the German Peace Plan is more show than reality, and totally insufficient to establish European peace.

The proposals would gain in significance in the eyes of the French Government only, when it knows how the new obligations to be undertaken, can be guaranteed, and if Germany is prepared to acknowledge the principles of collective security, in deeds not only in words.

The French Government also wants to know whether the Air Pact, which Germany, contrary to the attitude expressed to the British and French Ambassadors a few weeks ago, is now prepared to conclude, is tended to contain the stipulation limiting the strength of the air fleets without, which it would be worthless.

QUESTION OF FACTS
The Franco-Soviet Pact had provided Germany with the pretext to repudiate her obligations under the Locarno Pact, but it was curious that Germany had not herself concluded a non-aggression pact with the Soviet Union, since during the Stresa Conference a year ago, the German Government expressed willingness to do so, also consenting to parallel mutual assistance pacts between Soviet Russia and other powers. For what purpose and reason? asks the Memorandum.

The French Government expresses its pleasure at the German decision to re-enter the League, but asks, how Germany can, before the crisis brought about by her policy of accomplished facts, has been solved, be regarded as a nation which affords sufficient guarantees "of its sincere intention to observe its international obligations."

The German proposals for the prohibition of dropping gas and incendiary bombs are already contained in the Geneva Convention of 1925, while the other disarmament proposals are considered inadequate.

"The prevention of war is even more important than humanising it."

The two last parts deal with the Franco-German relations and her observation of obligations whenever she undertakes any.

SUMMARY OF PLAN

The French Peace Plan is likewise a lengthy document and reviews all parts of the Tardieu plan for providing the League with an international armed force as well

as the scheme of a European Economic Union of Briand 1930. The main points may be summarised as follows: Recognition of the legal equality and independence of all states, settlement of conflicts on the basis of a universally binding international law subject to the interpretation by a sovereign court whose decisions are held up by the joint forces of the international community, limitation of armaments, in order to prevent hegemony of the strong nations over the weaker ones, and mutual assistance against any violation of the international law, this assistance to be organised by regional pacts, so long as this assistance is not recognised as universal obligation.

It is suggested that the system of such regional pacts should be organised in Europe by a special European Commission to be created within the framework of the League of Nations.

While demanding respect for treaties, the plan admits that no treaty can be regarded as unalterable, but adds that no alteration should be contemplated before the lapse of 25 years.

All European nations should contribute towards the maintenance of an international armed force at the disposal of the European Commission or the League of Nations, on land, sea and in the air.

ECONOMIC FIELD
The third part deals with the economic problem, and suggests a reorganisation and rationalisation of international trade by means of an international, or at least European, convention.

In this connection it is stated that a twofold necessity must be acknowledged, a joint reservoir of raw materials as well as markets for the surplus of European products. This must lead to a certain revision of the colonial statute, but not in the sense of political sovereignty, but merely in matters of economic equality and joint credit policy.

In an annex, it is stated that the plan, with certain modifications, may be put into operation, even if some states should resent it.

It is generally anticipated here that the plan will be dealt with in the next session of the League in May.

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GORDONS TO PROCEED TO SINGAPORE

London, April 9.

The Third Battalion which will be sent to Singapore as soon as accommodation is available will be the Second Gordons.

Reuter.

DEFENCE ESTIMATES IN BRITAIN

London, April 9.

Mr. Neville Chamberlain anticipated the additional requirement for the Air Force in 1936 to be re-estimated. He estimated the Defence estimates for 1937-1938, to substantially exceed the aggregate of this year's original estimates.

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AMERICAN TALKS WITH CHINESE BANKERS

Washington, April 8.

Mr. Henry Morgenthau, Secretary to the Treasury, resumed his conversations with the Chinese bankers to-day. They will continue for several days.

Mr. Morgenthau said the bankers came here on his invitation to exchange information on mutual monetary policies, adding that "close working arrangements between the United States and China on financial problems is contemplated."

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HONGKONG GOLF CLUB

Starting Times For Fanling For The Holidays

GOOD FRIDAY

9.20 a.m.	S. T. Butlin and H. A. Mills
9.24	C. C. Stark and C. E. Smdstrom
9.28	J. F. Wright and S. S. Ferry
9.32	I. Goldman and R. L. S. Webb
9.36	K. K. Rounds and I. H. Clare
9.40	R. J. Shrigley and C. Austin
9.44	A. C. I. Bowker and J. A. D. Morrison
9.48	R. A. MacKinnay and A. B. Reynolds
9.52	O. J. Shannon and G. Marselle
9.56	W. J. Waddington and C. D. Chapman
10.00	F. C. B. Black and G. S. Chambers
10.04	L. R. Cramer and S. S. Church
10.08	E. M. Bryden and R. Young
10.12	H. E. Stone and W. A. Connell
10.16	D. Black and A. A. Bremner
10.20	J. S. Dykes and F. M. Ellis
10.24	H. S. Dinsdale and N. P. Fox
10.28	J. A. Shaw and T. J. Draper
10.32	H. G. Sheldon and C. C. Black
10.36	H. A. Browning and W. E. Hunt

New Course

9.28 a.m.	F. H. Crappell and G. B. S. Thomson
9.32	Mrs. Crappell and Mrs. Thomson

SATURDAY

9.20 a.m.	J. Angwin and B. H. C. Hallows
9.24	O. J. Shannon and J. S. Dunnett
9.28	H. H. Pethick and T. B. Williams
9.32	S. H. Dodwell and Lt. Cdr. Broome
9.36	F. C. Young and R. C. Webb
9.40	F. C. Mudie and C. C. Willson
9.44	E. L. Groom and F. A. M. Elliott
9.48	J. Roger and R. Young
9.52	J. W. Mayhew and I. H. Geare
9.56	J. R. Masson and J. A. D. Morrison
10.00	W. A. Stewart and F. M. Ellis
10.04	J. F. Wright and A. Murdoch
10.08	Lt. Cdr. Hovenden and Cdr. Keogh

EASTER SUNDAY

9.25 a.m.	G. S. Chambers and F. C. B. Black
9.30	J. B. Mackie and F. A. Redmond
9.35	F. M. Ellis and R. L. S. Webb
9.40	W. A. Stewart and H. Lafford
9.45	E. M. Bryden and T. R. Chassels
9.50	J. W. Mayhew and W. N. A. Smalley
9.55	I. H. Geare and K. S. Morrison
10.00	G. B. S. Thomson and D. S. Edward
10.05	H. H. Mundy and W. S. Hillier
10.10	T. A. Pearce and P. H. Scoones
10.15	Comdr. Hole and J. S. Dykes
10.20	E. T. McMullen and D. A. O'Kieffe
10.25	K. K. Rounds and R. Young
10.30	D. L. Prophet and W. W. C. Shewan
10.35	E. des Voeux and T. C. Monaghan
10.40	W. J. Waddington and E. Taylor
10.45	J. S. MacLaren and H. A. Mills
10.50	A. Ritchie and C. H. Burton
10.55	A. T. Lay and A. Sommerfelt
11.00	P. Morrison and R. K. Collings
11.05	T. R. Rowell and H. G. Wallington
11.10	Col. Blake and Captain Michell
11.15	H. Jusserand and Col. Matthews
11.20	J. S. Dunnett and F. H. King
11.25	W. E. Hunt and H. A. Browning
11.30	W. Sharp and A. A. Brathwaite

SCHOOL SPORTS

Diocesan Girls' School Annual Meet

A small gathering of school girls and visitors were present at the school ground, King's Park, Kowloon, yesterday afternoon, when the Diocesan Girls' School held their Annual Athletic Sports. Except for the inclement weather, the meeting was a great success in every way.

THE RESULTS

The following were the detailed results:—

100 yards, Senior.—1. June Hall, 2. Yvonne Ho, 3. Norah Wittchell. 160 yards, Junior.—1. Vera Dabher, 2. Vivian Churn, 3. Kenneth Ho.

50 yards, Kindergarten (Boys).—1. Stephen Chin, 2. Robert Da Souza.

50 yards, Kindergarten (Girls).—1. Betty Choi, 2. Eunice Dodson.

50 yards, Kindergarten (Babies).—1. B. Asanio, 2. Billy Forest.

50 yards, Kindergarten (Babies).—1. Yvonne Long, 2. Thomas Brown.

Long Jump, Senior.—1. Yvonne Ho, 2. Helen Bockler, 3. June Hall.

Distance: 14 ft. 7 1/2 ins.

Long Jump, Junior.—1. Kenneth Ho, 2. Alavana Chang, 3. Vera Dabher.

Distance: 13 ft. 11 ins.

Potato Race, Kindergarten (Boys).—1. Harold Lapsley, 2. Stephen Chin.

Potato Race, Kindergarten (Girls).—1. Myrtle Chang, 2. Rosie Chung.

Potato Race, Kindergarten (Babies).—1. Yvonne Long, 2. Eleanor Wong.

High Jump, Senior.—1. Norah Wittchell, 2. Babu Lum, 3. Maria da Rosa.

Height: 3 ft. 11 ins.

High Jump, Junior.—1. Vera Dabher, 2. Ada Chang, 3. J. Mon and Thomas Ho.

Height: 3 ft. 11 ins.

Three Legged Race, Kindergarten (Boys).—1. Harold West, 2. Harold Lapsley.

220 yards, Senior.—1. June Hall, 2. Stella West, 3. Norah Wittchell.

Goal Throwing, Junior.—1. Patsy Kay, 2. J. Collom, 3. Vivian Churn.

Goal Throwing, Senior.—1. Patsy Dodd, 2. J. Boradridge, 3. W. Hunt.

Three Legged Race.—1. Maria da Rosa and Helen Bockler, 2. June Hall and Yvonne Ho.

Teachers' Race.—1. Miss Helen Ho.

Relay Race, Senior.—Winners—Upper 5.

Relay Race, Junior.—Winners—Lower 5.

Obstacle Race, Junior.—1. Kenneth Ho, 2. Thomas Ho, 3. Vivian Churn.

Kindergarten Girls' Three Legged Race.—1. Barbara Histon and Myrtle Chan, 2. Rosie Chung and Bertha Hoven.

Obstacle Race, Senior.—1. Norma Das, 2. June Ho, 3. Stella West.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE FOOTBALL

London, April 8.

Three matches in the first division of the Scottish Football League were played to-day. Glasgow Rangers started to overhaul the league leaders as a result of beating Queen's Park, and the results as cable by Reuter were:—

Aldon	4	Clyde	4
Kilmarnock	0	Hibernian	1
Rangers	2	Queen's Park	1

New Course

9.28 a.m.	A. Anderson* and B. D. Evans*
9.32	H. N. Williamson* and J. Angwin*
9.40	E. L. Groome* and J. R. Way*
9.44	H. H. Pethick* and A. M. Kirby*
9.52	W. L. Alexander* and J. Harrop*
9.56	G. A. Stewart* and C. Austin*
10.00	S. H. Dodwell* and E. Davidson*
10.04	I. C. Mackay* and R. H. MacGregor*
10.08	J. G. Cotesworth* and N. P. Fox*
10.16	J. F. Lawrie* and F. A. M. Elliott*
10.20	G. S. Hugh-Jones* and E. Bathurst*
10.28	J. D. Kinnaird* and J. MacKnight*
10.32	J. F. Wright* and D. L. Newbigging*
10.40	A. McKinlay* and C. W. Jeffries*
10.44	W. T. Yoxall* and A. S. Adairson*

*Unsuccessful in ballot for Old Course.

BRIGADE REPEATS SUCCESS

In Inter-Unit Hockey

In a keenly contested game the H.K.S.R.A. defeated the 8th Punjab Regiment in the final of the Army Inter-Unit hockey tournament by the only goal scored at the Marina Ground yesterday. The winning goal came midway through the second half.

There was a large crowd of spectators present which included His Excellency Major General A. W. Bartholomew, G.O.C. and a number of officers from all the other Regiments stationed in the Colony. At the conclusion of the game, H. E. Major General Bartholomew presented the trophy to Lt. C. C. Garthwaite, captain of the Brigade team, who accorded the General Officer Commanding three lusty cheers. The success enjoyed by the Brigade yesterday makes them the holders of the coveted trophy for the second year in succession.

Large contingents of Punjab and Brigade men turned out for the game, the touch lines being crowded. The men evinced great enthusiasm and cheered throughout an exciting contest.

THE DECIDER

The game was played at a fast pace, and both sides were railed in turn. Sound defences non-plussed the work of the energetic forward lines and half time arrived with the score sheet blank.

Resumption of play saw a repetition of the first half. Each goal was raised in turn, and brilliant saves were effected by both goal keepers. From a breakaway by Lieut. Garthwaite, Alan Sher (inside left) received the ball and placed it in the net in an unmarked goal.

The Brigade supporters went frantic with delight whilst players in the goal scoring team banished their hockey sticks in their moment of delight. The Punjabis were undaunted by this reverse and attacked time and again. On one occasion W. Shah had bad luck when favourably placed in

TSUI BROTHERS WIN

Andrews And Fincher Defeated

Those who attended the exhibition matches featuring E. D. Andrews, former New Zealand champion, at the Hongkong Cricket Club tennis courts yesterday afternoon received good value for their money in quantity if not in quality for although neither match went to three sets the four sets comprised 46 games.

Andrews first partnered L. Goldmann against S. A. and H. D. Rumjahn. Play began slowly for there was not much fire in the court and the only interest was in the closeness of the scores.

At five-all, however, play brightened and Andrews began to open out, making fewer mistakes and sending zipping returns over the net. They left the Rumjahn, cousins standing and the New Zealanders and his partner went on to win 8-6.

Andrews continued in his merry mood in the second set, which was comparatively easy, being won 6-2.

After a brief rest Andrews joined E. C. Fincher against the Tsui brothers who turned the tables, winning 7-5, 7-5.

The game was marked by long rallies and clever court-craft. Both pairs concentrated on the opposition's weaker half but although Andrews showed flashes of brilliance, they were of no avail against the steadiness of the brothers.

not equalising. The final whistle saw play in midfield.

Though the game was extremely fast and exciting, it was also featured with a great number of offences for which the whistle was constantly being blown. One impression of the game was that both sides were at fault in hitting the ball too hard with a consequent galaxy of "knock-ons".

Capt. Kimm and Mr. A. A. Dand very ably controlled the game.

The teams were: H.K.S.R.A.: S. Singh, D. Singh, and K. Singh, B. Singh, T. Singh, and H. Singh.

LOCAL SOCCER

A Congested Programme

The following are the matches arranged to be played on the dates and grounds as shown below:—

SATURDAY at 4.45 p.m.

1st Division
H.K.F.C. v. Chinese Athletic Club, W. R. Reynolds.
S. China "B" v. Kowloon, Caroline Hill, H. F. Scrutton.
R. W. Fusiliers v. S. China "A", Sookunpoo, H. F. Smyth.
R.A. (L) v. Club de Recreo, Kings Park, E. E. Randall.
R. Navy v. H.K. Police, Causeway Bay, R. M. Omar.
St. Josephs v. E. Lan, R. St. Josephs, W. P. Payne.
H.K.F.C. v. E. Lan, R. Club, E. E. Thomas.
C.A.A. v. Rasc & Rasc, Caroline Hill, A. J. Stockbridge.
R. Ulster R. v. S.C.A.A., Causeway Bay, R. I. Evans.
Eastern v. Kowloon, Kowloon, S. McCormack.
R.E. v. R. Navy, Sookunpoo, J. Buterworth.
R.W. Fusiliers v. Radio, 4.45 p.m., Chatham, D. W. Ellis.

3rd Division

Railway v. R.E., 4.45 p.m., Railway, W. Brierley.

2nd Division at 3.15 p.m.

Liga Port v. R. Ulster R., 3.15 p.m., Chatham, D. W. Ellis.

SUNDAY at 3.15 p.m.

1st Division

Chinese Athletic v. H.K. Police, Sookunpoo, H. F. Scrutton.

Kotewall Cup at 4.30 p.m.

S. China A.A. v. R. Navy, Sookunpoo, W. R. Reynolds, Linesmen: A. T. Jarmain and J. Buterworth.

MONDAY at 5.15 p.m.

1st Division

Club de Recreo v. Chinese Athletic, Caroline Hill, E. R. A. Slidebottom.
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Kudha Hux, Lieut. C. C. Garthwaite, T. Singh, A. Sher and Chajla Singh.

8th Punjabis: N. Mohammed, K. Bahader, L. Mohammed, G. Singh, Dulla Singh, and Ali Din.

Lt. Walker, W. Sher, A. Khan, A. Zar and Lal Singh.

Figure-Skating Championship Of Great Britain

London, March 25. Look at the perfect pose of these girls on the ice. Unless balance is correct the track made by the skates shows that something is wrong. Very seldom is it that any but the best skaters can change over from one edge to the other without an intervening period on the flat.

"All the winter through I have been turning out at 3.30 a.m. daily and working on these same figures under the same instructor as teaches Miss Colledge. Mr. Gershweller. I know that figure-skating in its topmost flights is an accomplishment for the young, but I have improved, and the exercise keeps me alive."

Sir Samuel is president of the Lawn Tennis Association. "I wish our leading lawn tennis players would take to skating," he said. "It is so good for one's balance in court."

It takes two days to settle the championship.

THE TEST FIGURES

Each girl has to do a Rocker forward inside; counter F.I.; one foot, eight forward; three change, three forward; loop change, loop forward; bracket change, bracket forward.

Each has to be done right and left.

After each exercise the referee and a panel of judges solemnly inspect "the tracery left on the ice by the skates and award marks. Morning and afternoon these compulsory figures continued. To-morrow evening comes the excitement—the free skating in which each girl can follow her own bent.

The competitors include, in addition to the champion, the other members of the recent Olympic team, Miss Gweneth Butler, Miss Belita Jepson-Turner and Miss Mollie Phillips, with the reserves, Miss Mia Mackin and Miss Pamela Prior.

All are young. Miss Daphne Walker is the youngest at eleven. Miss Jepson-Turner is 12, Miss Colledge 15, the others older but still young. It is a meeting in which the junior championship is the senior one as well.

RE-ARRANGED FIXTURES

The following proposal was passed at the League Management Committee meeting held on April 7, 1936:—

"That from the April 10, 1936 inclusive, the Hong Kong Football Association Handbook is Null and Void, and that the remaining matches not played be arranged weekly by the League Management Committee."



MR. EDEN'S STERN WORDS TO GERMANY

CONFIDENCE SHAKEN IN ANY
FUTURE ENGAGEMENTBritain Will Act In The Event
Of Aggression

London, March 10. Mr. Attlee, Leader of the Opposition, asked the Foreign Secretary whether he had any statement to make on the action of the German Government in sending troops into the Rhineland and the speech of Herr Hitler on Saturday, writes a correspondent.

Mr. Eden.—The answer is a long one, but I feel sure the House would wish for the fullest possible information. (Cheers.) On March 6 I asked the German Ambassador to come and see me at the Foreign Office, and I made to him a proposal, which his Majesty's Ambassador at Berlin had made to the German Chancellor on Dec. 13 last, that the Powers signatory to the Treaty of Locarno should proceed with the negotiation of an Air Pact.

The House will recall that such a pact was first suggested during the course of the Anglo-French conversations held in London in February, 1935.

On this occasion I reminded his Excellency of the hopes which Herr Hitler himself had expressed for the betterment of international relations in Western Europe, and I told him that it seemed to me the time had now come when a real effort must be made to translate these hopes into facts and to attempt to achieve a real improvement in the relations of the United Kingdom, France and Germany.

A POINT OF JUNCTION. I pointed out to the Ambassador that an Air Pact touched what was in some respects a point of junction—and a sensitive point of junction—in the relations of the three great Western Powers.

His Majesty's Government consider that the conclusion of such a pact would constitute a stabilising element in our relations in the West. I did not feel that it was impossible to negotiate such a pact even while the situation was complicated by the Italo-Abyssinian war.

I asked the Ambassador to communicate with his Government at once in this sense. I added that his Majesty's Government were genuinely anxious to convert into practical results the statements so often made in speeches.

AMBASSADOR'S VISIT. The German Ambassador came to see me on the morning of Mar. 7, and informed me that he had a communication of very great importance to make. He then handed to me a memorandum of which he read a translation.

An English text of this memorandum is now available in the Vote Office. I do not, therefore, propose to give the House a full account of this memorandum, but I should like to draw attention to certain salient points in it.

The memorandum falls into two parts. In the first part the German Government have developed, at considerable length, their objection to the Franco-Soviet Pact, and the reason why, in their view, the intention of the French Government to conclude this Pact has created an entirely new situation and destroyed the political system of the Locarno Treaty.

The German Government held that, for these reasons, the Locarno Treaty has ceased in practice to exist and that Germany consequently regards herself, for her part, as no longer bound by this no-longer-valid Treaty. The Memorandum then announces that the German Government have restored the full unrestricted sovereignty of Germany in the demilitarised zone of the Rhineland.

THE NEW PROPOSALS. The second part of the Memorandum contains a series of proposals which are described as being designed to promote the establishment of a system of peaceful security for Europe.

These proposals are: Firstly, that a demilitarised zone should be created on both sides of the Franco-German and Belgian-German frontier.

Secondly, that non-aggression pacts for 25 years shall be concluded between Germany, France and Belgium, and that Great Britain and Italy should guarantee these pacts.

Thirdly, that the Netherlands might be invited to join this treaty system.

Fourthly, that this security arrangement should be supplemented by an Air Pact.

Fifthly, that non-aggression pacts shall be concluded between Germany and the States bordering Germany on the East similar to the agreement between Germany and Poland, the exception previously made with regard to Lithuania being conditionally withdrawn.

And finally, it is stated that Germany is willing to re-enter the League of Nations now that equality of right and the restoration of her full sovereignty over the entire German territory has been attained.

In this latter connection the German Government expresses the expectation that, in the course of a reasonable period, the question of colonial equality of rights and of the separation of the League Covenant from the Treaty of Versailles may be settled through friendly negotiations.

COMMENT TO AMBASSADOR. On receiving this communication from the German Ambassador I told his Excellency that he could not expect me to make any detailed observation on a document of this importance until I had had an opportunity to study it and to consult my colleagues on the situation which it created.

At the same time I told his Excellency that there was one observation which I must make at once. I deeply regretted the information which the Ambassador had given me about the action which the German Government was taking in respect of the demilitarised zone (Hear, hear)—and that the Ambassador would appreciate that this amounted to a unilateral repudiation of a treaty freely negotiated and freely signed. (Hear, hear.)

I had a clear recollection of the statements which the Chancellor had made to me at our first meeting in Berlin on the subject of the Treaty of Locarno, when he had drawn a clear distinction between that Treaty and the Treaty of Versailles, and emphasised that Germany had freely signed the Treaty of Locarno. (Hear, hear.)

"DEPLORABLE EFFECT." I was aware, I said to the Ambassador, of the view of the German Government as to the effect of the Franco-Soviet Pact on the Locarno Treaty. That view was not, however, shared by the other signatories to the Treaty, and that if the German Government disputed the opinion of the other signatories and still maintained their own conclusion then there was the appropriate arbitration procedure available for their use. (Hear, hear.) I feared that the effect of the unilateral repudiation of this Treaty upon his Majesty's Government and upon British public opinion must inevitably be deplorable. (Hear, hear.)

As to the latter part of the Ambassador's communication, I said that his Majesty's Government would have carefully considered this, but clearly the declaration in respect of the German attitude towards the League was most important.

The Ambassador at this point informed me that the German Government's decision in regard to the League was, to a large extent, due to their desire to meet the views frequently expressed by the Prime Minister and myself when we emphasised that the policy of his Majesty's Government was based upon the League and upon collective security.

Germany, he said, was willing to share in such a policy, and there were no conditions attaching to her return to the League. (Hear, hear.) Germany was willing to re-enter the League.

While the German Government expected that in due time the Covenant would be divorced from the Treaty of Versailles, and the question of colonial equality of rights settled, these were not conditions, but matters for regulation subsequent to Germany's return to the League.

I do not need to emphasise the importance of the communication from the German Government of which I have given the House an account. A similar memorandum has been communicated to the

other signatories of the Locarno Treaty—namely, France, Italy and Belgium.

COUNCIL SUMMONED. Before passing on to observations of a more general nature, it may be well for me to inform the House of the steps which are to be taken in the immediate future.

The French and Belgian Governments, with the full knowledge and agreement of H.M. Government, have asked that the Council of the League of Nations might be summoned as soon as possible to consider the situation. I must emphasise that the Council of the League is the proper body for this purpose.

The Council will, it is understood, meet on Friday next, and no decision can, of course, be reached in advance of that meeting. (Hear, hear.) But an exchange of views will take place in Paris to-morrow between representatives of the four Locarno Powers other than Germany, and these conversations will be resumed at Geneva on the following day. His Majesty's Government will be represented at these conversations by the Lord Privy Seal (Viscount Halifax) and myself.

I have now given the House an account of these conditions, together with some comments. I have also given the House such details as are in my possession of the procedure to be followed in the immediate future.

But non-members will no doubt expect to receive some immediate indication of the ideas and intentions with which the representatives of his Majesty's Government must approach at Geneva a problem the development of which is as yet in some important respects obscure.

It is clearly desirable to do this, for no one can fail to realise the stabilising force of a clear-sighted and united British nation in the affairs of Europe at this juncture. (Hear, hear.)

Let us not delude ourselves. The course taken by the German Government in unilaterally repudiating the obligations into which they have freely entered and in simultaneously acting as if they do not exist, both complicates and aggravates the international situation. (Hear, hear.)

The abrogation of the Locarno Treaty and the occupation of the demilitarised zone have profoundly shaken confidence in any engagement into which the Government of Germany may in future enter. (Hear, hear.)

There can be no one in this House or this country who would wish to condone or excuse such a step. It strikes a severe blow at that principle of sanctity of treaties which underlies the whole structure of international relations.

There is, I am thankful to say, no reason to suppose that the present German action implies a threat of hostilities.

IF GERMANY ATTACKS

Britain To Aid Victim. The German Government speak in their memorandum of their "unchangeable longing for a real pacification of Europe" (laughter) and express their willingness to conclude a non-aggression pact with France and Belgium.

But, in case there should be any misunderstanding about our position as a signatory of the Locarno Treaty, his Majesty's Government think it necessary to say that, should there take place during the period which will be necessary for consideration of the new situation which has arisen any actual attack upon France or Belgium which would constitute a violation of Article 2 of Locarno, his Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom, notwithstanding the German repudiation of the Treaty, would regard themselves as in honour bound to come, in the manner provided under the Treaty, to the assistance of the country attacked. (Hear, hear.)

It must be obvious to all that in existing circumstances the transition from a bad past to a better future will be an arduous and hazardous enterprise. At the same time, we are not merely concerned with the past or the present, we are concerned also with the future. (Hear, hear.)

One of the main foundations of the peace of Western Europe has been cut away, and if peace is to be secured there is a manifest duty to rebuild. It is in the spirit that we must approach the new proposals of the German Chancellor. (Cheers.)

His Majesty's Government will examine them clear-sightedly and objectively with a view to finding out to what extent they represent a means by which the shaken structure of peace can again be strengthened. (Cheers.) In the

WEEK-END RADIO PROGRAMMES

(Continued from Page 4.)

9 p.m.—Close DJB, DJN (German, English).

9.05 p.m.—Call DJA, DJB, DJN (German, English).

German Folk Song.

9.10 p.m.—Letterbox for the "Far East."

9.15 p.m.—News and Economic Review in German on DJA, DJB, DJN.

9.30 p.m.—Trumpet Choirs and Poetry on Easter Eve.

10 p.m.—News and Economic Review in English on DJA and in Dutch on DJB, DJN.

10.15 p.m.—Short Programme of Chamber Music.

10.30 p.m.—Andantino from the Concerto for Flute and Harp by Mozart; Variations on a theme in olden style for Harp by Salzedo. Prof. Max Saal, Harp; Paul Luther, Flute.

10.45 p.m.—Songs for Holy Week.

11 p.m.—"Das grobe Totenspiel" by Ernst Wiechert.

12 midnight.—Close DJA, DJB, DJN (German, English).

Saturday

4.50 p.m.—Call DJA, DJB, DJN (German, English).

German Folk Song.

4.55 p.m.—Greetings to our Listeners

5 p.m.—Concerto for Harpsichord and String Quartet by Christoph Nichelmann; Partita in B flat major by Johann Sebastian Bach.

At the Harpsichord: Carl Bittner.

5.30 p.m.—News and Economic Review in English.

5.45 p.m.—"It is accomplished." A Devotional Hour.

6.45 p.m.—News and Economic Review in German.

7 p.m.—Concert of Light Music.

8 p.m.—News in English.

8.15 p.m.—Concert of Light Music (continued).

9 p.m.—Close DJB, DJN (German, English).

9.05 p.m.—Call DJA, DJB, DJN (German, Engl.)

German Folk Song.

9.10 p.m.—Greetings to our Listeners.

9.15 p.m.—News and Economic Review in German on DJA, DJB, DJN.

9.30 p.m.—Concerto for Harpsichord and String Quartet by Christoph Nichelmann; Partita in B flat major by Johann Sebastian Bach.

At the Harpsichord: Carl Bittner.

10 p.m.—News and Economic Review in English on DJA and in Dutch on DJB, DJN.

10.15 p.m.—To-day in Germany. Sound Pictures.

10.30 p.m.—"Matthäus-Passion" by Joh. Seb. Bach.

The Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by Dr. Wilhelm Furtwängler.

11.45 p.m.—Our German Mother-tongue.

present grave condition of international affairs his Majesty's Government feel that no opportunity must be missed which offers any hope of amelioration. (Cheers.)

In the anxious circumstances of the present time I feel justified in asking all sections of opinion in this House for their support in the exacting and arduous task which now confronts the combined wisdom and statesmanship of the world. (Cheers.)

POSITION OF AUSTRIA

British Interests in Independence. Mr. Attlee: I do not intend to ask any supplementary questions arising immediately out of the statement. It is a very important and very vital matter and I have not had full time to consider it. May I ask the Prime Minister whether, in case there should arise need for a further debate after the meeting at Geneva, he will bear it in mind and consult the House?

Mr. Baldwin: I think in the circumstances to which Mr. Attlee alludes we should have to find time for a debate.

Sir Austen Chamberlain (C. West Birmingham): May I ask the Foreign Secretary did the German proposals for a new engagement extend to the countries on the southern frontier of Germany, or were they confined to the frontiers of the West and the East, and will the right honourable gentleman, in any negotiations which his Majesty's Government may undertake, consider the position of Austria and the interests which this country has in the maintenance of its independence and integrity as part of the European system of peace?

Mr. Eden: I understand the offer was limited to countries on the west and east. The answer to the second part of the question is: Yes, sir.

Mr. Docks (Soc. Broxtowe, D.): The negotiations on the east include Russia?

Mr. Eden: That is a geographical question.

President Professor Peter Raabe, Member of the Managing Council of the German Language Union.

12 midnight.—Close DJA, DJN (German, English).

Sunday

4.50 p.m.—Call DJB, DJN (German, English).

German Folk Song.

Outstanding Broadcasts of the Week.

4.55 p.m.—Greetings to our Listeners.

5 p.m.—Hitler Youth Programme by the Junior Girls Section: Little Spring Music.

5.15 p.m.—Lute Music of Rococo Days.

Played by Hans Neemann on the 24-stringed Lute.

6.30 p.m.—News and Review of the Week in English.

5.45 p.m.—Gala Easter Concert of Items by Request.

6.45 p.m.—News and Review of the Week in German.

7 p.m.—Concert of Light Music.

8 p.m.—News in English.

8.15 p.m.—Concert of Light Music (continued).

9 p.m.—Close DJB, DJN (German, English).

9.05 p.m.—Call DJA, DJB, DJN (German, Engl.)

German Folk Song.

Outstanding Broadcasts of the Week.

9.10 p.m.—Greetings to our Listeners.

9.15 p.m.—News and Review of the Week in German on DJA, DJB, DJN.

9.30 p.m.—A Sunday Evening Programme.

9.45 p.m.—Hitler Youth Programme by the German Girls League: Little Spring Music.

10 p.m.—News and Review of the Week in English on DJA and in Dutch on DJB, DJN.

10.15 p.m.—The Best German Male Choirs VI.

10.45 p.m.—Concert of Light Music.

11.45 p.m.—Lute Music of Rococo Days.

Played by Hans Neemann on the 24-stringed Lute.

12 midnight.—Close DJA, DJN (German, Engl.).

RADIO MANILA

To-day

To-day—To be announced.

Saturday

5.30 a.m.—Breakfast Hour of News and Music—English and Spanish Current Events and Vaudeville of the Air conducted by Don Alva.

7 a.m.—Sign Off.

6 p.m.—Max Lazo and his Hawaiian.

6.10 p.m.—Moody Moments with Tony Sobral.

6.20 p.m.—Spanish Informational Period.

6.35 p.m.—English Informational Period.

6.55 p.m.—Stock quotations, through the courtesy of Swan, Culbertson and Fritz.

7 p.m.—Studio Music.

7.15 p.m.—U. P. Hour of Music and Information.

7.30 p.m.—Rocky Mountain Hill-Billies—Farewell Programme.

8 p.m.—Golden Voices.

8.15 p.m.—Pioneers of the Philippines.

8.30 p.m.—Rodrigo Danao and his Favourite Tunes.

8.45 p.m.—Stock Quotations and Local Market Reports.

9 p.m.—Meralco Dancing Party, sponsored by Manila Electric Company—KZRM Orchestra, directed by Johnny Harris, vocal refrains by Frankie Trinidad.

12 midnight.—Sign Off.

Sunday

5 p.m.—Tea Dance Music.

6 p.m.—Ding Yalong's Parade of Songs.

6.15 p.m.—Radio Revels, conducted by Roberto March.

6.45 p.m.—The Catholic Hour.

7 p.m.—Manila Trading Centre Musicale, conducted by Alfredo Roa.

7.30 p.m.—Dance Music by the Manila Polo Club Orchestra.

8.30 p.m.—Filipino Youth Hour, conducted by Leon Ma. Que, conducted by Leon Ma. Guerrero, Jr.

9 p.m.—Commercial Monitor.

9.15 p.m.—Organ Interlude.

9.30 p.m.—Symphony Concert.

11 p.m.—Sign Off.

PHOENIX INSURANCE TO
BE LIQUIDATED

(“Hong Kong Daily Press” Special)

Vienna, April 9.

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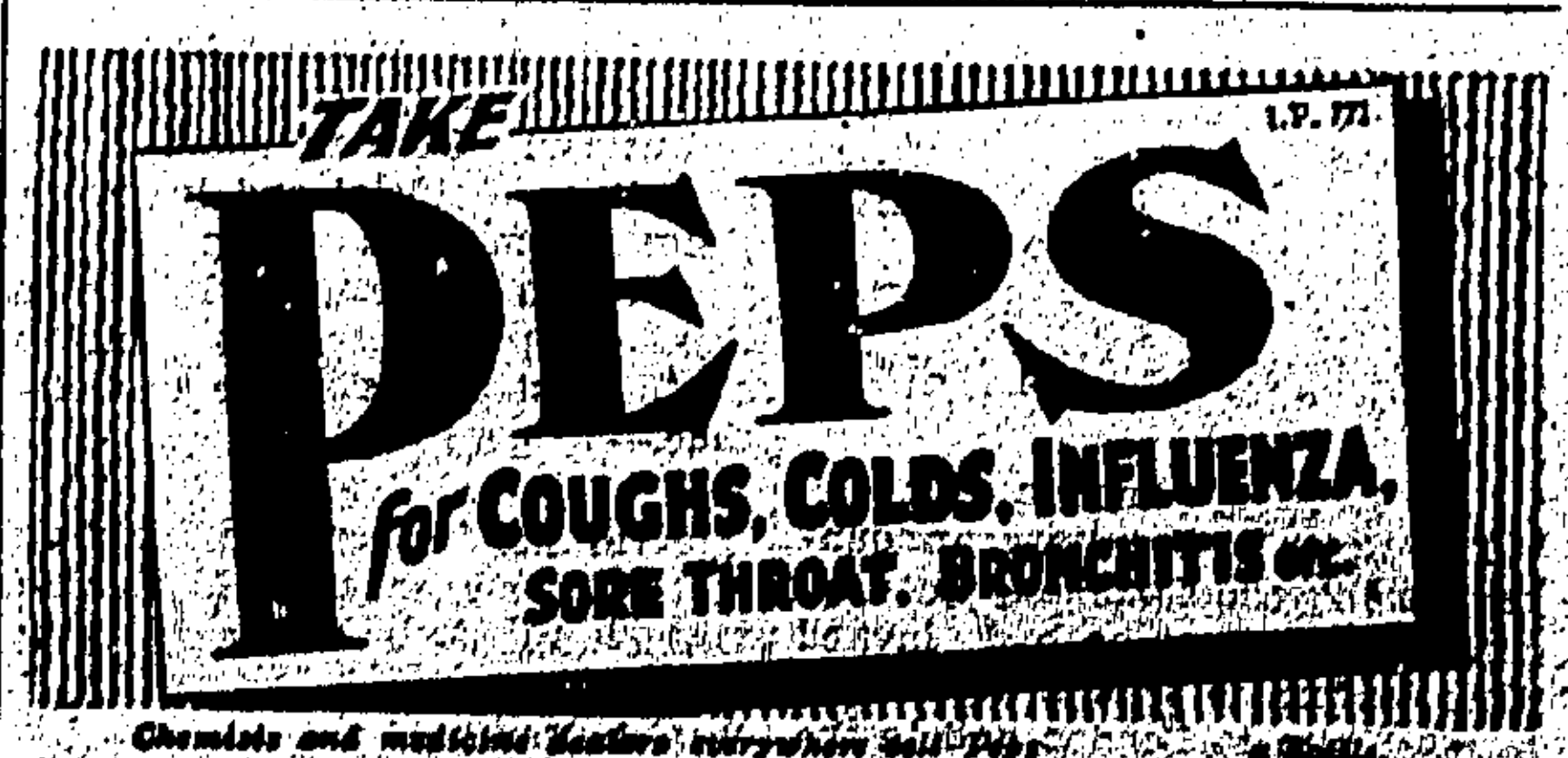
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THE MILWAUKEE ROAD



DAILY SHARE QUOTATIONS

Hong Kong Stock Exchange Sharebrokers' Association

THURSDAY, APRIL 9.				THURSDAY, APRIL 9.			
Buyers	Sellers	Price	Quantity	Buyers	Sellers	Price	Quantity
Banks							
H.K. Banks		\$1,555		H.K. Banks		\$1,555	
Do. (London)		\$1,004		Do. (London)		\$1,004	
Chartered Bank		214		Chartered Bank		214	
Mercantile Bk. Ind.		231		Mercantile Bk. Ind.		231	
Do.		214		Do.		214	
Bank of East Asia		\$73		Bank of East Asia		\$73	
N. O. & S. Banks				N. O. & S. Banks			
Am. O. Fin. Corp. S.				Am. O. Fin. Corp. S.			
Tybam Tuk				Tybam Tuk			
Ch. Fin. Corp. Ind. S.				Ch. Fin. Corp. Ind. S.			
Do. Prof. S.				Do. Prof. S.			
Insurance							
Canton Insurance		\$370		Canton Insurance		\$370	
Underwriters		\$1		Underwriters		\$1	
Union Insurance		\$579		Union Insurance		\$579	
China Fire		\$480		China Fire		\$480	
H.K. Fire				H.K. Fire			
International Assoc. S.		\$32		International Assoc. S.		\$32	
Shipping							
Douglas		\$38		Douglas		\$38	
Steamboats		\$51		Steamboats		\$51	
Indos (prot.)		\$30		Indos (prot.)		\$30	
Do. (dot.)		\$20		Do. (dot.)		\$20	
Shells		\$93/9		Shells		\$93/9	
Waterboats		\$12/30		Waterboats		\$12/30	
Mining							
Antimony		\$2.06		Antimony		\$2.06	
Balates				Balates			
Baguio Gold		27 cts.		Baguio Gold		27 cts.	
Degeet Consolidated				Degeet Consolidated			
Do. Exploration				Do. Exploration			
Big Wedge		24 cts.		Big Wedge		24 cts.	
Demonstrations		55 cts.		Demonstrations		55 cts.	
Gold Creek		7 cts.		Gold Creek		7 cts.	
United Paracels		12 cts.		United Paracels		12 cts.	
Salacot Mining		14 cts.		Salacot Mining		14 cts.	
Ipo Mining				Ipo Mining			
Itogons		\$1		Itogons		\$1	
Kailas		11 1/2		Kailas		11 1/2	
Langkatas (single)		\$8		Langkatas (single)		\$8	
Explorations		\$2.20		Explorations		\$2.20	
Sanaghai Leone		\$3		Sanaghai Leone		\$3	
Itauba		\$10 1/2		Itauba		\$10 1/2	
Venezuela Gold Min.				Venezuela Gold Min.			
Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.							
H.K. & K. Wharves		\$95		H.K. & K. Wharves		\$95	
Do. (old)				Do. (old)			
Do. (new)		\$1.10		Do. (new)		\$1.10	
Providents (old)		20 cts.		Providents (old)		20 cts.	
Do. (new)		19		Do. (new)		19	
H.K. & W. Docks		\$9		H.K. & W. Docks		\$9	
China Motor A				China Motor A			
Shanghai Docks S.		\$70		Shanghai Docks S.		\$70	
New Engineering S.		\$4		New Engineering S.		\$4	
Hongkwa		\$190		Hongkwa		\$190	
Lands, Hotels, and Buildings							
H.K. Hotels		\$4.35		H.K. Hotels		\$4.35	
H.K. Lands		\$32		H.K. Lands		\$32	
Do. 4% Debentures		par		Do. 4% Debentures		par	
Shanghai Lands S.		\$18		Shanghai Lands S.		\$18	
Metropolitan Lands		\$10		Metropolitan Lands		\$10	
H.K. Realities		\$5		H.K. Realities		\$5	
China Do.		\$4		China Do.		\$4	
Do. Debentures		\$80		Do. Debentures		\$80	
Humphreys		\$9		Humphreys		\$9	
New Asia Hotel				New Asia Hotel			
Asia Realities "A" S.				Asia Realities "A" S.			
Do. "B" S.				Do. "B" S.			
Chances Estates		\$82		Chances Estates		\$82	
Cotton Mills							
Ewos		\$8		Ewos		\$8	
Shai Cotton Mills S.		\$70		Shai Cotton Mills S.		\$70	
Do. (new)		\$40		Do. (new)		\$40	
Zong Sing		\$2		Zong Sing		\$2	
Wing On (textiles) S.		\$25		Wing On (textiles) S.		\$25	
Public Utilities							
Tramways		\$10.40		Tramways		\$10.40	
Park Trams (old)		\$7		Park Trams (old)		\$7	
Do. (new)		\$3		Do. (new)		\$3	
Star Ferries		\$84		Star Ferries		\$84	
Yauwai Ferries		\$19		Yauwai Ferries		\$19	
China Lights (old)		\$7.35		China Lights (old)		\$7.35	
Do. (new)		\$7		Do. (new)		\$7	
H.K. Electric		\$20		H.K. Electric		\$20	
Macao do.		\$8.30		Macao do.		\$8.30	
Sandakan Lights		\$25.15		Sandakan Lights		\$25.15	
Do. (new)		\$9		Do. (new)		\$9	
China Bus		\$11		China Bus		\$11	
Tractions		21/2		Tractions		21/2	
Do. (peak)		22/2		Do. (peak)		22/2	
Industries							
Malayan Sugars		\$8.40		Malayan Sugars		\$8.40	
Cadbury, (cor.) S.		\$194		Cadbury, (cor.) S.		\$194	
Minogragos (priv.) S.		\$12		Minogragos (priv.) S.		\$12	
Canton Iron		\$11		Canton Iron		\$11	
Concrete		\$8.10		Concrete		\$8.10	
Ropes		\$32		Ropes		\$32	
Miscellaneous							
Dairy Farms		\$194		Dairy Farms		\$194	
Amusements		\$2		Amusements		\$2	
Ch. Entertainment		\$12		Ch. Entertainment		\$12	
Constructions (old)		\$14		Constructions (old)		\$14	
Do. (new)		50 cts.		Do. (new)		50 cts.	
Lane Crawford		\$5		Lane Crawford		\$5	
Macanese		\$5		Macanese		\$5	
Nanyang House		\$32.35		Nanyang House		\$32.35	
Singapore		\$1.80		Singapore		\$1.80	
Various		\$4		Various		\$4	
Wm. Fowles		70 cts.		Wm. Fowles		70 cts.	
M. Greybould		\$2		M. Greybould		\$2	
S. C. Enterprises		\$1.35		S. C. Enterprises		\$1.35	
Ch. G. S. 1925-26 Bds.		8 1/2		Ch. G. S. 1925-26 Bds.		8 1/2	
H.A. Govt. 4% Loans		5 1/2		H.A. Govt. 4% Loans		5 1/2	
Do. 3 1/2		4 1/2		Do. 3 1/2		4 1/2	
Wallace Harper		\$5		Wallace Harper		\$5	
E.L. Wing Do		\$5		E.L. Wing Do		\$5	
Shai Do		\$2		Shai Do		\$2	
Vibro Piling		\$2		Vibro Piling		\$2	

MORE LABOURERS FOR EAST AFRICA

Naples, April 9. Six thousand men left Naples to-day for East Africa consisting mainly of labourers. It is now estimated that 100,000 labourers and soldiers are engaged in road making in Abyssinia. The work is being hurriedly pushed forward before the rainy season begins. (Reuters' Bulletin Service.)

PALESTINE LEGISLATURE

London, Apr. 8. The Colonial Secretary announced during the Commons question time to-day that he had invited Arab leaders to send a deputation to meet him in London and in the

GENEVA RECEPTION OF PROPOSALS

Geneva, April 8. The French plan for the pacification of Europe has had a generally unfavourable reception here, where it is regarded as visionary, ambitious and impracticable. Even French quarters exhibit no enthusiasm. German quarters regard it as artificial and insincere. Most comments compare the plan to an omelette with added eggs—implying that it includes all the lost causes of the past decade. (Reuters)

Interval no further steps towards the establishment of a Legislative Council in Palestine were being taken. (British Press.)

MONTHLY WATER RETURN

Level and Storage of water in Reservoirs on April 1, 1936. ISLAND WATER WORKS

Reservoir	1935		1936	
	Contents in Millions	Over-flow	Contents in Millions	Over-flow
Tytam	18' 3"	247.75	12' 0"	271.21
Tytam Byewash	21' 5"	2.15	23' 4"	1.38
Tytam Intermediate	45' 6"	29.70	45' 4"	30.00
Tytam Tuk	37' 5"	667.35	44' 0"	557.50
Wong Nei Chong	24' 2"	7.12	23' 4"	8.31
Pokfulam	17' 7"	29.00	18' 4"	27.56
Aberdeen Upper	18' 7"	93.15	21' 2"	84.63
Aberdeen Lower	40' 7"	8.71	8' 5"	76.46
Total Storage		1,084.21		1,057.05

Consumption of water in the City and Hill District in millions of gallons during the month of March.

	1935	1936
Consumption	274.58	265.96 Million gallons
Estimated population	423,600	428,400
Consumption per head per day	20.9	20.0 Gallons

Additional amount supplied to Island Villages during the month of March 11.11 million gallons.

March 1935 and March 1936.—A 10 hours supply (6—11 a.m. and 4—9 p.m.) was given to all districts during the whole month.

MAINLAND WATER WORKS

Kowloon Main	1935		1936	
	Contents in Millions	Over-flow	Contents in Millions	Over-flow
Kowloon Byewash	17' 6"	195.32	12' 11"	231.38
Shik Li Pui	14' 6"	63.98	14' 3"	64.79
Jubilee	3' 6"	24.15	4' 0"	13.39
Shing Mun Reception				
Total Storage		322.06		351.75

Consumption of water in Kowloon and New Kowloon in millions of gallons during the month of March.

	1935	1936
Consumption	133.69	161.66 Million gallons
Estimated population	339,050	352,859
Consumption per head per day	15.6	14.8 Gallons

Additional amount supplied to Lai-chikok Water Boat Dock during the month of March 3.00 million gallons.

March 1935 and March 1936.—A 10 hours supply (4—11 a.m. and 4—9 p.m.) was given to all districts during the whole month.

Total rain fall recorded by Royal Observatory from 1.1.35 to 31.3.35: 4,555; and from 1.1.36 to 31.3.36: 4,390.

PRESS OPINION IN BRITAIN

French Proposals Impracticable

London, Apr. 9. The French all-European security plan receives a lukewarm reception in the morning papers generally, and they urge the British Government to resume its efforts to bring the Powers together for the purpose of devising a European settlement.

The "Daily Telegraph" declares the French proposals in part are wholly impracticable. The recent experience of international complications has made it clear that a police force contributed to by all nations is a notion that has only the most remote relation to actual conditions in Europe.

The French attitude throws back upon the British Government the task of exporting the path of negotiation. Until negotiations can be begun, the several visions of a pacified Europe are as mocking as mirages, the "Telegraph" holds.

The "Daily Herald" says the immediate problem is to prepare the way for a collective effort to incorporate the French and German plans and such other proposals as other nations may contribute into a practical and generally acceptable whole.

The "Times," like the rest, doubts whether it will be felt that all the French suggestions are practicable. Europe, it says, can hardly be described as ripe or ready for large renunciations of sovereignty.

Nevertheless, the suggestions as a whole constitute an elaborate and far-reaching plan, not to be met with purely destructive criticism, but to be examined together with the German proposals.

At the present moment, however, the "Times" believes, the immediate purpose must be to clear away the obstacles impeding discussions with a view to arriving at some system by which Europe may be assured of a permanent organisation for ordered peace. (Reuters)

HEAVY BATTLE IN THE SOUTHERN FRONT

Addis Ababa, April 9. A large scale battle on the southern front is reported to have been fought in the last few days with heavy casualties on both sides, but the result of the battle is unknown. (Reuters' Bulletin Service.)

"PEACE PLANS" REVEALED

Blue Book To Aid Public

London, April 8. A Blue Book of nearly 100 pages and reproducing in part or in whole about 60 documents—despatches, telegrams, minutes, treaty provisions and communications—illustrating some aspects of the diplomatic discussions directed towards the European settlement, upon which the British Government was engaged between June 1934 and March of this year, was published to-day.

The discussions cover the negotiations for the Eastern Pact and the proposal for the Franco-Soviet Treaty and the subsequent exchanges regarding the validity of Locarno. They also include negotiations for an air pact and air limitation.

EASTERN PACT

With regard to the Eastern Pact, two important points emerge from the documents, first that the original French proposal was considered inadequate by the British Government in that the suggested guarantees were not given on equal terms to Germany and that this defect was remedied as the result of the Anglo-French conversations, and secondly, that it was on learning at Stresa, from a communique published in Berlin on April 14, 1935, that the German Government would enter the Eastern Pact of non-aggression, notwithstanding the fact that some of the other parties might conclude arrangements for the mutual assistance and that the French Government decided that there was no further reason why they should not proceed with the negotiation of the Franco-Soviet Treaty.

TREATY VALIDITY

The text of Treaty and the German objects together with the French reply on the compatibility of the treaty with the covenant and Locarno, and the British, Italian and Belgian answers accepting the validity of treaty, are published and also the communication by the German Government on August 1, 1935, noting with satisfaction the declaration of the Locarno guarantors that their rights and duties could not be prejudiced or altered by any act of another signatory.

The series of documents record the repeated and persistent efforts of the British Government, from February 1935 until the very eve of the German remilitarisation of Rhineland, to secure progress with the negotiations for an air pact and air limitation as the first stage of established confidence and security in Europe and co-operation between France and Germany in the work of consolidating peace.

MANY DIFFICULTIES

Action was taken, it transpires, both in Berlin and Paris but so far as Germany was concerned, difficulties of one sort and another successively intervened to prevent the German Government from giving definite replies to points raised from London.

The Blue book will help to provide the public with a background, in recent history, to the various proposals which figure in the present discussions and in the numerous "peace plans" official and unofficial, which are in circulation.

The story of the negotiations, revealed in documents is of the constant exercise by British Government of its good offices with a view to hastening agreement on the main points of the programme of settlement and newspapers comment that it should have the effect of dispelling many misconceptions both at home and abroad such as the suggestion that Britain has been inactive in the face of a growing deterioration of international relations in Europe. (British Wireless.)

SPANISH CABINET TO CONTINUE

Few Changes Expected

Madrid, April 9. Acting president of the Republic, Martinez Barrio, received Premier Azana on Wednesday, and assured him of his confidence. Azana had, as a matter of form, handed in the Cabinet's resignation, but will now continue in office, though a few changes are expected. (Transocean News Service.)

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THE EXCHANGE MARKET

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Silver prices dropped 1/16 yesterday for both deliveries, the quotations being 19 1/2 for Ready and 19 1/4 for Silver. Silver advices reported China as having sold India bought and after the official fixing there were some buying inquiries at the fixed rate but sellers were holding off. In America the rate was unchanged at 44 1/2 for Spot. The London/New York cross-rate was lower at 49 1/4. New York/London was quoted at 49 1/4.

MARKET

Steady but dull.
STERLING
Some business was done at 1/34 for near delivery and 1/3-13/16 for far forward. The market closed at 1 p.m. with sellers at 1/3-13/16 April/December, buyers at 1/34.

U.S. DOLLARS

Business was done at 32-11/16 for April delivery. There were sellers at 32 1/2 April/August, buyers at 32-11/16 for May/August, and probably for April delivery.

SHANGHAI DOLLARS

There were sellers at 109 1/2, buyers at 1/9-3/16 for cash.
SHANGHAI MARKET
There were sellers of Sterling at 1/2 1/2 for Spot and U.S. Dollars at 2 1/2 for Spot.

IN THE AFTERNOON

The market was dull in the afternoon.

STERLING

In Sterling no business was reported finishing with sellers at 1/3-13/16 April/December, buyers at 1/34.

U.S. DOLLARS

The market closed with sellers at 32 1/2 April/August and 32-11/16 September/November, buyers at 32-11/16 May/October and probably for April delivery.

H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATION

The week's trading was rather limited to a few stocks which reacted very favourably when buying orders came into the market. Insurance shares were very prominent. Utilities remained quiet but Lands came in for a good deal of enquiry which eased off at the close. There is no selling pressure at all and as soon as the upward movement sets in the market will be found to be very bare of stock.

BUSINESS DONE DURING THE WEEK

Canton Insurances, \$275.
Union Insurances, \$565, \$570, \$575.
Providents (Old), \$120, \$117 1/2.
Hotels, \$415, \$41.
Lands, \$33 1/2.
China Lights (Old), \$104.
Telephones (Old), \$25.10, \$25.15.
Cements, \$94, \$99, \$9, \$8.80.
Entertainments, \$2 1/2.
Antamoks, \$2.05.
Baguio Gold, 27 1/2 cts, 26 cts.
Benguet Exploration, 20 cts.
Demonstration, 66 1/2 cts, 65 1/2 cts.
United Paracale, 66 cts.
Ch. Govt. G.S. Bonds, 94 per cent.
Changes (3.15 p.m.) closing quotations:—No changes.

H.K. SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION

Antamoks, \$2.05.
Baguio Gold, 27 cts.
Beng. Explorations, 18 cts.
Big Wedge, 24 1/2 cts.
Gold Creek, 13 cts.
Gold Rivers, 7 1/2 cts.
Masbate, 70 cts.
Salacota, 14 1/2 cts.
Paracale, 84 cts.
Shanghai Loans, \$2.20.
Rauba, \$10.60.
Vens. Goldfields, \$3.
Hotels, \$4.30.
Land Debitures, par.
Ewos, \$8 XD.
Providents Old, \$1.10.
H.K. Docks, \$9.
Trams, \$10 1/2.
Y. Ferries, \$18.40.
Lights, \$10.30.
Electric, \$512.
Sing. Traction, Ord. \$22/-
Dairy Farms, \$19.15.
Entertainments, \$2 1/2.
Gold \$ Bonds, \$93 1/2%
Sals
Gold Rivers, 7 1/2 cts.
Salacota, 15 cts.
Paracale, 66 cts.
Rauba, \$10 1/2.

LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE)

	April 7.	April 8.
Paris	74-61/64	74 61/64
Geneva	15.17 1/2	15.17 1/2
Berlin	12.28	12.28 1/2
Athens		520 S.
Milan	62-11/16	62 1/2
Shanghai		
New York	4.97 1/2	4.94 1/2
Amsterdam	7.27 1/2	7.27 1/2
Vienna		
Prague		
Bucharest	119-7/16	119 1/2
Madrid	672 S.	669 S.
Lisbon	36-11/64	
Hong Kong		
Brussels	29.21	29.20 1/2
Montevideo	39 1/2 S. O.	
Belgrade		217
Montreal	4.94-13/16	4.96 1/2
Yokohama	172-1/32	
Helsingfors		
Rio		
Buenos Aires		
Silver (Spot)	19-15/16	
Silver (forward)	19-15/16	19 1/2
War Loan	34 1/2 107 1/2	34 1/2 107 9/16

Closing Quotations

April 9, 1936.		On New York:	
On London:		Bank Bills, on demand	32 1/2/16
Telegraphic Transfer	1 1/4	Credit, 60 days' sight	33 1/10
Bank Bills, on demand		On BATAVIA:	
Bank Bills, 4 months'		On demand	47
sight	1 1/2 1/16	On Paris:	
Credit, four months'		Bank Bills, on demand	48
sight	1 1/4	Credit, 4 months' sight	61 1/2
On SHANGHAI:		On Saigon:	
On demand	107 1/2	On demand	48 1/2
On SINGAPORE:		On MANILA:	
On demand	56 1/2	On demand	63 1/2
On JAPAN:		On BANGKOK:	
On demand	111 1/2	On demand	149 1/2
On INDIA:		Sovereigns, Bank Buying	1 1/4
Telegraphic Transfer	86	Rate	1 1/4
Bank, on demand		Bar Silver, per oz.	19 1/2

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

(Through Reuters Agency)

QUOTATIONS

	High	Low	Close	Today's	Change
New York/London Cross-rate				4.95	4.94 1/2
New York Cotton—July	11.03	10.7	10.94	11.03	.09 up
New York Rubber—July	16.11	16.08	16.09	16.10	.02 up
Chicago Wheat—July	86	84 1/2	84 1/2	85 1/2	1 up
Chicago Corn—July	59 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2	59 1/2	1 up
Silver—Official				44 1/2	44 1/2 unchanged
Dow Jones Averages	High—1934/35	Low:	Apr. 7.	Apr. 8.	Change
30 Industrials	183.07	182.71	180.94	180.97	.03 up
20 Rails	51.73	51.31	48.85	49.23	.38 up
20 Utilities	36.36	36.14	33.15	33.37	.22 up
4 Bonds	103.24	103.43	102.33	102.38	.05 up
11 Commodity Index	62.10	62.45	66.99	67.33	.34 up
Business Done:—1,650,000 shares.					

Stocks	Last Sale	Apr. 7	8	Stocks	Last Sale	Apr. 7	8
Adams Express	12 1/2	12 1/2		G. N. Ry. pf.	38 1/2	38 1/2	39 1/2
Amer. Can.	121	119 1/2		G. Western Sugar	35	35	
Amer. Cyanamid 'B'	37	37		Humble Oil	71	71	
Am. & For. Power	9 1/2	8		Int. Nickel	49	49 1/2	
Am. & For. P. \$7 pf	40	39		Int. Tel. & Tel.	16 1/2	16 1/2	
Am. Light & Trac.	30	30 1/2		Kennecott	36 1/2	36 1/2	
Amer. Locomotive	23 1/2	23 1/2		Loew's Inc.	46 1/2	47	
Amer. Radiator	31	30 1/2		Lorillard	22 1/2	22 1/2	
Amer. Rolling Mill	84 1/2	85		Montanto Chemical	101 1/2	102 1/2	
Amer. Smelting	54 1/2	54 1/2		Montgomery Ward	44 1/2	44 1/2	
Am. Sugar Refining	169	169		Nat. City Bk.	35 1/2	36 1/2	
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	94	92 1/2		Nat. Dairy Prods.	23 1/2	23 1/2	
Amer. Tobacco 'B'	23 1/2	24 1/2		Nat. Distillers	32 1/2	32	
Amer. Waterworks	37 1/2	38 1/2		Nat. Power & Light	11 1/2	11 1/2	
Anaconda Copper	77 1/2	80 1/2		New York Central	38 1/2	39 1/2	
Atchafalpa, T. & S. Fe.	34 1/2	33 1/2		North American	28	28 1/2	
Atlas Corp.	13 1/2	13 1/2		Northern Pacific	33 1/2	34	
Auburn	49 1/2	49 1/2		Pacific Gas & Elec.	39	39	
Baltimore & Ohio	21	21 1/2		Pacific Lighting	54 1/2	55 1/2	
Bethlehem Steel	62 1/2	63 1/2		Packard Motors	11 1/2	11 1/2	
Boeing Airplane Co.	82 1/2	82 1/2		Paramount Picture			
Borden Co.	22 1/2	22 1/2		Incor.	8 1/2	8 1/2	
Bklyn - Manhattan	27 1/2	27 1/2		Pennsylvania R. R.	34 1/2	34 1/2	
Trans. Corp.	49 1/2	49 1/2		Phillips Petroleum	48 1/2	48 1/2	
Bklyn - Manhattan				Pure Oil Co.	42 1/2	42 1/2	
\$6 cum. pf.	104	103 1/2		Pub. Service of N.J.	23 1/2	23 1/2	
Case, J. I.	160	162		Radio Corp.	13 1/2	13 1/2	
Canadian Pac. Ry.	13 1/2	13 1/2		Radio Corp. 'B'			
Chase Nat. Bk.	39 1/2	39 1/2		\$5 of common	102 1/2	101 1/2	
Chesapeake Corp.	66	66 1/2		Reynolds Tob 'B'	53 1/2	53	
Chesapeake & Ohio	57 1/2	57 1/2		Schenley	49 1/2	49 1/2	
Chrysler	101 1/2	102		Schenley 5 1/2 pf.	98 1/2	98 1/2	
Columbia Gas & E.	21 1/2	21 1/2		Sears Roebuck	68 1/2	68 1/2	
C. & E. 6 1/2 'A' pf.	101	100 1/2		Socony-Vacuum	15	14 1/2	
Commercial Credit	53	53 1/2		Stirn. Cal. Edison	27	27	
Comd. Solvents	20 1/2	20 1/2		Stirn. Pacific	36	36 1/2	
Comm. & Southern				Stand. Brands	16 1/2	16	
(ord.)	2 1/2	2 1/2		Stand. Gas Y Elec	8 1/2	7 1/2	
Comm. & Southern				Stand. Oil of N.J.	66 1/2	65 1/2	
(ord.) \$6 cum. pf.	68	68		Sterling Prods.	71	70	
Consolid. Gas of N.Y.	34 1/2	34 1/2		Swift International	30 1/2	30 1/2	
Consolid. Oil	14 1/2	14 1/2		Technicolor	31 1/2	31 1/2	
Continental Oil	36	36		Texas Gulf Sulphur	35 1/2	35 1/2	
Corn. Products	73	72 1/2		Transamerica	13 1/2	13 1/2	
Curtiss Wright (C)	6 1/2	6 1/2		20th Cent. Fox Film			
Curtiss Wright 'A'	16 1/2	16 1/2		comm.	28 1/2	28 1/2	
Delaware & Hudson	46	46 1/2		20th Cent. Fox Film			
Distillers Corp. Sea-				pf.	34 1/2	34 1/2	
grams	23 1/2	23 1/2		Un. Carbide & Car-			
Douglas Aircraft	67 1/2	67 1/2		bon	87 1/2	87 1/2	
Du Pont de Nemours	15 1/2	15 1/2		Un. Pacific	133	131 1/2	
Electric Boat	13 1/2	13 1/2		Un. Aircraft (New)	25 1/2	25 1/2	
Elec. Bld & Share	23 1/2	23 1/2		Un. Airlyte Trans.	16 1/2	16 1/2	
Elec. Bld & Share				Un. Corp.	7 1/2	7 1/2	
\$5 pf.	74 1/2	74 1/2		Un. Corp. \$3 cum.			
Elec. Bond & Share				pf.	44 1/2	44 1/2	
\$6 pf.	84	83 1/2		Un. Gas Improve-			
Elec. Power & Light	14 1/2	14 1/2		ment	16 1/2	16 1/2	
Gen. Cigar	57	57 1/2		U. S. Indus Alcohol	55	55 1/2	
Gen. Electric	40	39 1/2		U. S. Rubber	30	33 1/2	
Gen. Foods	38 1/2	38 1/2		U. S. Steel	70	71 1/2	
Gen. Motors	69 1/2	69 1/2		Vanadium	23 1/2	24	
Gen. Rly. Signal	44 1/2	43		Warner Bros. Picts.	11 1/2	11 1/2	
Gen. Dust	19 1/2	20 1/2		Westinghouse Elec.	120 1/2	120 1/2	
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AMOI & SHANGHAI	"TAIYUAN"	On 16th Apr. 3 p.m.
SWATOW & BANGKOK	"KWEIYANG"	On 16th Apr. 3 p.m.
SHANGHAI, DAIRIN & NEWCHOW	"SOOCHOW"	On 15th Apr. 5 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI, TIENTSIN, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN	"HONGKONG"	On 17th Apr. Noon
HONGKONG, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG	"KINGYUAN"	On 18th Apr. 5 p.m.
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"NITINAM"	On 18th Apr. 5 p.m.
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SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"SANTUNG"	On 21st Apr. Noon
SWATOW, FOCHOW, TIENTSIN, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN	"LIANGCHOW"	On 22nd Apr. Noon
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"TSINAN"	On 22nd Apr. 5 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI, TIENTSIN, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN	"HUPEI"	On 24th Apr. 3 p.m.
HONGKONG, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG	"KAYING"	On 24th Apr. 3 p.m.
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"KIUNGCHOW"	On 25th Apr. 3 p.m.
SWATOW, AMOI, SWATOW, SINGAPORE & PENANG	"ANHUI"	On 26th Apr. 3 p.m.
SWATOW & BANGKOK	"KIANGSU"	On 27th Apr. 3 p.m.
HONGKONG, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG	"KINGYUAN"	On 1st May, 3 p.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"KALGAN"	On 5th May, 3 p.m.
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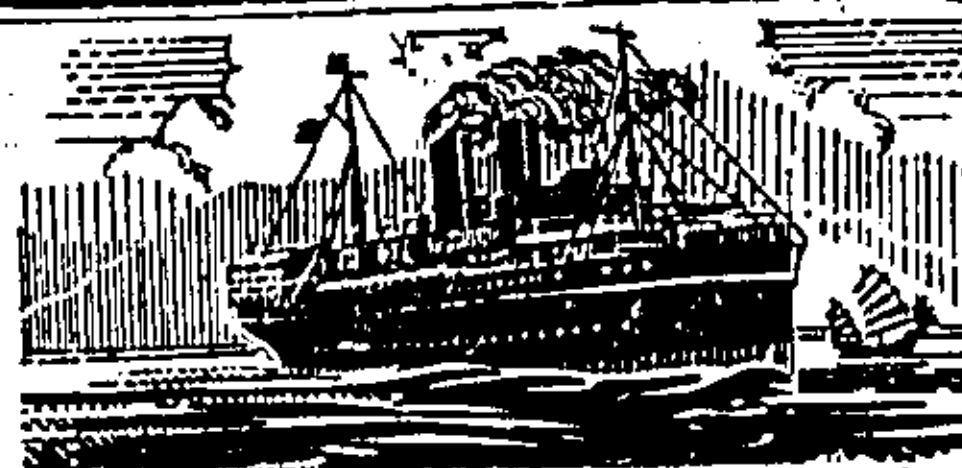
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Isar, Melchers, May 7.	

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JAPAN (Direct).	Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., April 17.
Kulmerland, J.C.J. Line, Apr. 13.	Talhybuis, B. & S., April 17.
Mecklenburg, J.C.J. Line, Apr. 29.	Huang, Jardine's, May 3.

Keelung.	Hong Kong Maru, O.S.K., April 12.
Panama Maru, O.S.K., April 15.	Canton Maru, O.S.K., April 19.

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General Lee, States Co., April 25.	Katori Maru, N.Y.K., April 25.
Renroch, Loxley's, April 27.	Niel Maersk, J.C.J. Line, April 27.
Nordmark, J.C.J. Line, April 29.	Mecklenburg, J.C.J. Line, April 29.
Protetia, B. & S., April 29.	Chindia, P. & O., April 30.
Sandila, B.I. (Apar), April 30.	Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., May 1.
Chenonceaux, Messageries, May 2.	Noshiro Maru, N.Y.K., May 3.
Malaya, E.A. Co., May 4.	Perseus, B. & S., May 4.
Gneissau, Melchers, May 5.	Pres. Cleveland, Dollar's, May 6.
Isar, Melchers, May 7.	Pres. Jefferson, A.M. Line, May 8.
Benleuch, Loxley's, May 8.	Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., May 10.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., May 10.	Gen. Pershing, States Co., May 10.
Ranpura, P. & O., May 14.	Joan Laborde, Messageries, May 15.
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Mecklenburg, J.C.J. Line, Apr. 29.	Huang, Jardine's, May 3.

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E/Russia	June 12	June 14	June 16	June 18	June 20	June 29	June 29
E/Japan	June 26	June 28	July 1	July 3	July 5	July 14	July 14
E/Asia	July 10	July 12	July 14	July 16	July 18	July 27	July 27
E/Canada	July 24	July 26	July 29	July 31	Aug. 1	Aug. 7	Aug. 12
E/Russia	Aug. 7	Aug. 9	Aug. 11	Aug. 13	Aug. 15	Aug. 24	Aug. 24
E/Japan	Aug. 21	Aug. 23	Aug. 26	Aug. 28	Aug. 30	Sept. 8	Sept. 8
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HIKAWA MARU	(Starts from Kobe) Monday, 18th May
LONDON, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM	
HAUOZAKI MARU	Saturday, 11th Apr.
TERUKUNI MARU	Friday, 24th Apr.
HAUOZAKI MARU	Saturday, 9th May
SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila and Ports.	
KAMO MARU	Saturday, 25th Apr.
NEPTUNA	Saturday, 2nd May
KITANO MARU	Saturday, 23rd May
BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang and Colombo.	
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LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piræus, Genoa and Valencia.	
LIMA MARU	Thursday, 9th Apr.
CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang and Rangoon.	
TOTTORI MARU	Thursday, 16th Apr.
TOKUSHIMA MARU	Thursday, 30th Apr.
SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.	
BARUNA MARU	Friday, 10th Apr.
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NEWS FROM THE WATERFRONT

Freight And Asiatic Passengers Returns

(BY LONGSHOREMAN)

During the 24 hours ended at 9.00 a.m. yesterday, the freight returns, received from the Harbour Office showed, a fairly high tonnage movement, a large proportion of which being made up by British ships.

The total tonnage of general cargo carried by vessels to the Colony was 11,321 tons, with British steamers carrying 1,393 tons.

Through cargo for ports beyond the Colony amounted to 23,029 tons, of which 10,367 tons were carried by British steamers.

Asiatic deck passengers entering into the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday were 828, of which 509 were from British steamers.

There were altogether twenty arrivals, of which eight were of British registry, the remainder being of other nationalities, while of the 25 departures, ten were British ships, the rest being of other different countries. Particulars as follows:—

Nationality	Ships	Tonnage
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British 8 11,760

American 1 884

French 1 1,433

German 1 8,000

Norwegian 1 2,050

Japanese 5 8,769

Chinese 3 1,474

Total 20 34,350

ARRIVALS

9TH APRIL, 1936.

Lima Maru, Japanese steamer, 4,298 tons, Captain H. Takasy, from Milke, buoy No. A3—N. Y. K.
Emp. of Russia, British steamer, 8,789 tons, Captain W. Kinley, from Vancouver via Japan and Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf—C. P. R.
Tin Seng, Chinese steamer, 943 tons, Captain Kwok Lai Fe, from K. C. Wan, Salkong Wharf—Tai Fung & Co.
Halder, Norwegian steamer, 840 tons, Captain J. Hansen, from Bangkok, buoy No. B4—Chin Seng Hong.
Canton, French steamer, 976 tons, Captain G. Charlot, from Haiphong, buoy No. B11—M. M. & Co.
Hong Kong Maru, Japanese str., 1,559 tons, Captain H. Mesaki, from Swatow, O. S. K. Wharf—O. S. K.

IN WIRELESS TOUCH

The following ships are expected to be in wireless communication with Hong Kong Radio:—
Nagisan Maru, Shinkyo Maru, Dakar Maru, Tokai Maru, Benrines, Foratic, General Sherman, Kau Sing, Java, Kenkon Maru, Toba Maru, President Hayes, Havel, Sungahan Maru, Empress of Russia, President Hoover, Haruna Maru, President McKinley, Tango Maru, Andre, Lebon, Hakozaki Maru and Tatsuta Maru.

PASSENGERS

DEPARTURE

S.S. HECTOR
The following passengers left Hong Kong by the s.s. "Hector" for United Kingdom via ports on Wednesday:—

Mr. and Mrs. T. Arden, W. G. Comdr. A. G. Bishop, O.I.E. A.F.C., Mrs. R. Barclay, Mr. J. R. Bryant, Dr. and Mrs. W. Buckley, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Burnes, Mrs. M. A. Burton-Sayer, Mr. and Mrs. P. Cheverest, Miss S. Cheverest, Mrs. M. W. Drake, Miss E. G. Deykin, Miss G. H. Deykin, Mr. R. H. Dowler, Mrs. Duinker, Dr. (Miss) Elliott, Mrs. E. Fisher, Mrs. M. K. Greening, Master P. W. Greening, Mr. D. C. Greening, Comdr. and Mrs. N. V. Grace, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hagen, Miss J. Hagen, Miss H. Hagen, Captain and Mrs. S. Hellemann, Dr. and Mrs. J. Heron, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Huett, Mrs. V. M. Jones, Miss M. E. Jones, Mrs. M. Lloyd Jones, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Knight, Miss L. Knight, Mr. J. R. Kinghorn, Mr. W. J. S. Key, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kinloch, Miss S. Kinloch, Mrs. E. S. Little, Dr. and Mrs. J. C. MacGowan, Miss Heather MacGowan, Master Sandy MacGowan, Mr. and Mrs. O. Moor, Miss E. Moor, Master R. Moor, Mr. T. Munday, Miss V. Munro, Rev. and Mrs. R. Moore, Mr. E. G. Price, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Robinson, Mrs. R. Russell, Mrs. Sanders, Mrs. B. Sanders, Mr. J. Scott, Mr. J. L. Tetley, Mr. H. J. Thoms, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Thomson, Mrs. H. J. Thoms, Dr. A. M. Ware, Mr. M. and Mrs. White, Mrs. E. M. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Woodall, Master J. Woodall.

SHIPPING MOVEMENTS

The Butterfield and Swire's s.s. "Agamemnon" will arrive from Singapore via Manila on April 13, 1936, at 7 a.m.

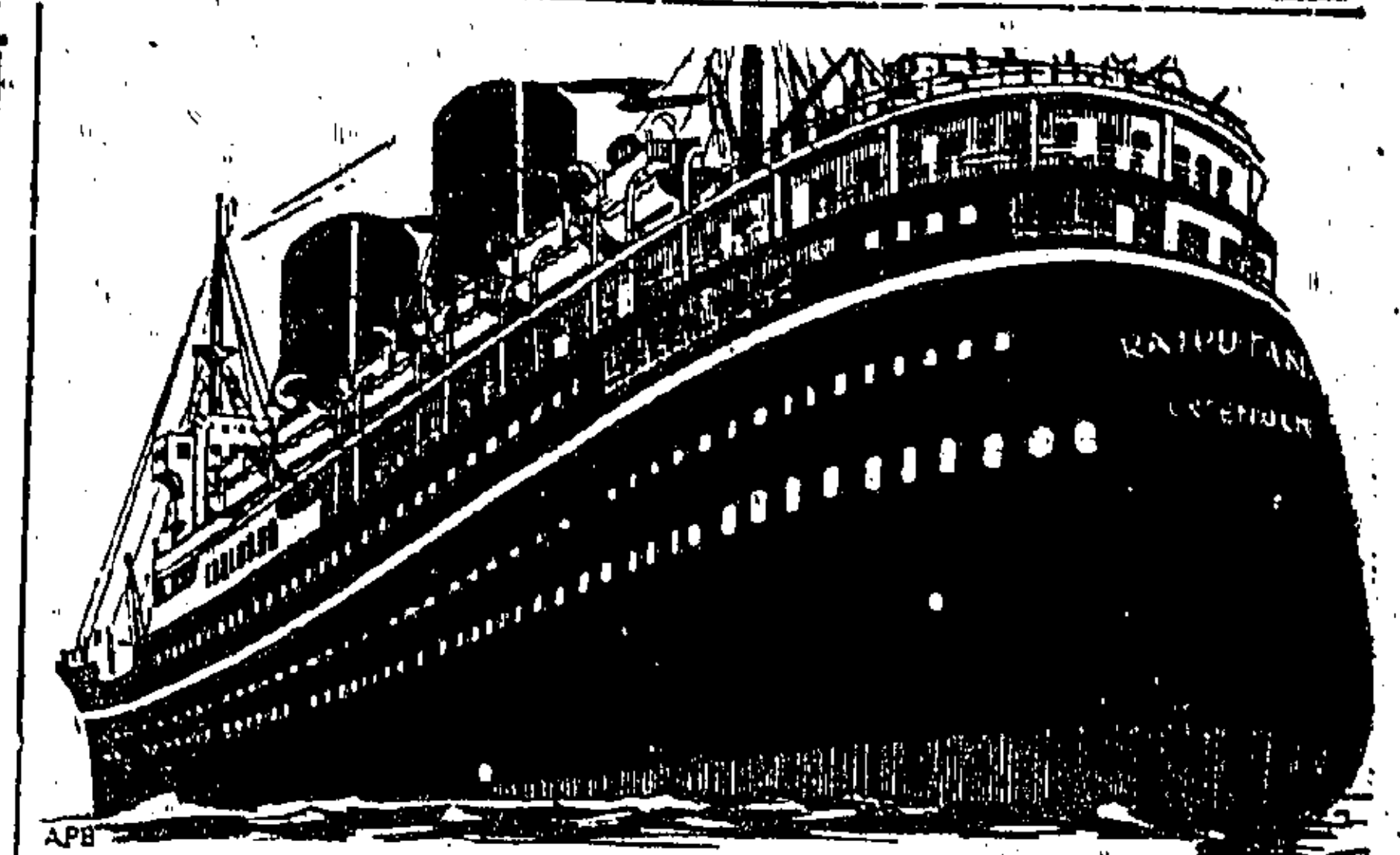
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CARTEAGE	14,500	2nd May	R'dm, Awerp, & Hull.
RAJPUTANA	17,000	16th May	Marseilles & London.
*BHUTAN	8,000	23rd May	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
CHITRAL	15,000	30th May	Marseilles, Havre, London, Ham-
*BEHAR	8,000	6th June	burg, R'dam, Antwerp & Hull.
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RAJPUTANA	17,000	16th Apr.	Shanghai & Japan
*BEHAR	8,000	23rd Apr.	do
SANTHIA	8,000	23rd Apr.	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan
CHITRAL	15,000	30th Apr.	Shanghai & Japan
*AN'A	7,000	10th May	Shanghai & Japan
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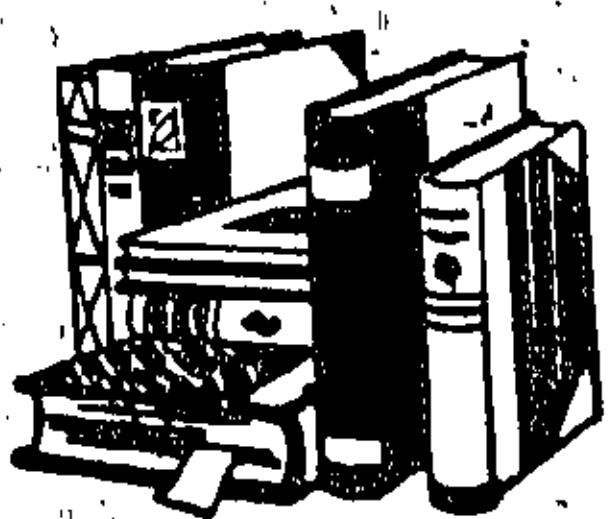
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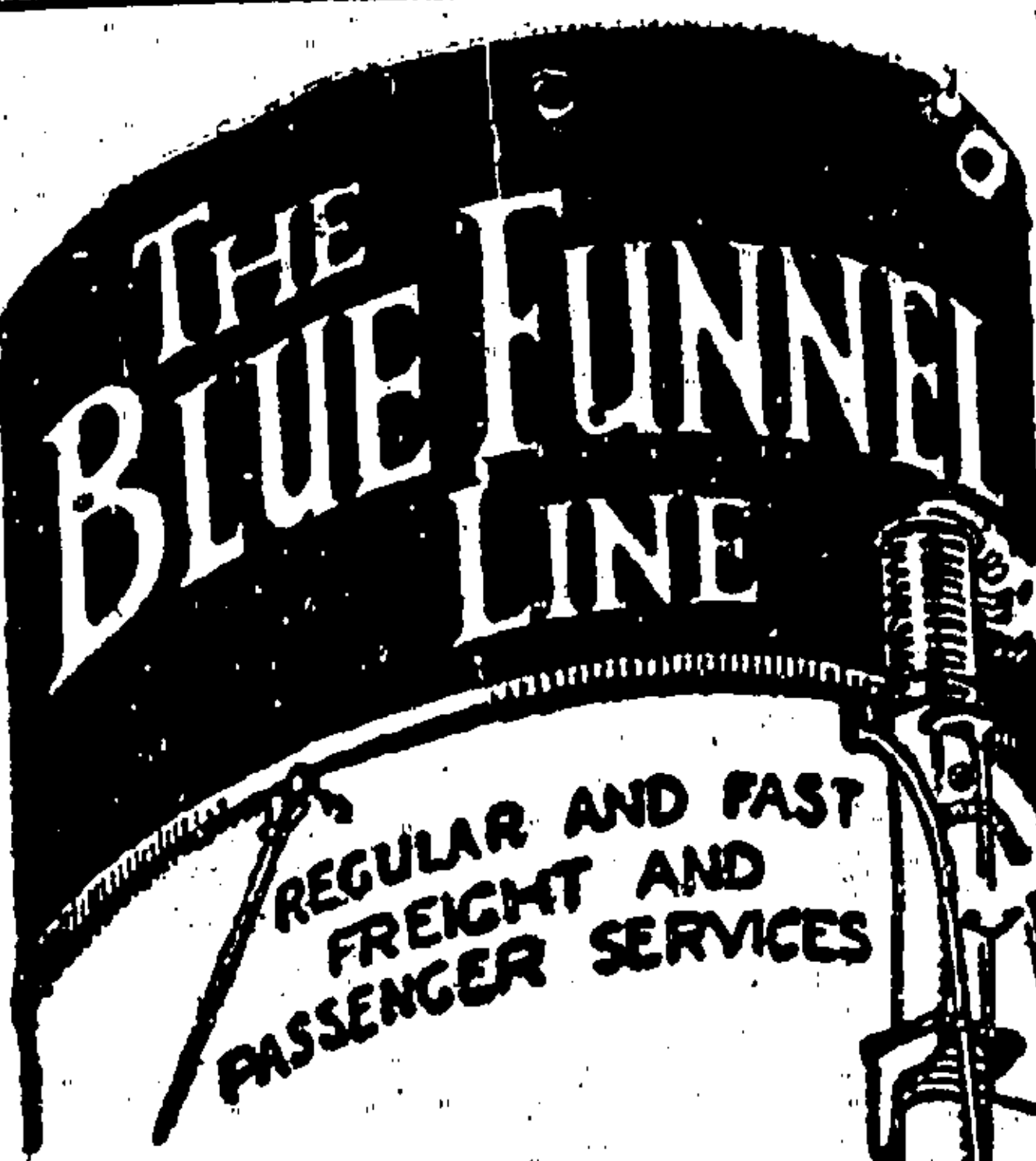
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HONG KONG TIDE TABLE

From April 10, to 16, 1936.

Day of Week	Date	HIGH WATER		LOW WATER	
		Hong Kong Standard Time	Height	Hong Kong Standard Time	Height
Fri.	10	h. m.	ft. in.	h. m.	ft. in.
		10 29	6.8	4 31	3.0
Sat.	11	00 14	4.4	04 45	3.4
		10 58	7.0	10 40	1.6
Sun.	12	01 48	4.0	04 54	3.5
		11 30	7.0	10 40	1.7
Mon.	13	02 30	3.8	05 00	3.6
		12 15	6.9	10 46	1.8
Tues.	14	—	—	—	—
		13 10	6.6	23 05	1.8
Wed.	15	14 28	6.5	23 11	1.7
Thurs.	16	15 00	6.3	—	—

HONGKONG METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

Hong Kong Observatory, April 9.

	Previous On Date On	Day	at	at	at
	at 4 p.m.	10 a.m.	4 p.m.		
Barometer	29.76	29.87	29.78		
Temperature	79	78	76		
Humidity	84	95	92		
Wind	S	S	C		
Direction	S	S	C		
Force	0	3	0		
Weather	C	OD	OF		
Rain	0.00	0.00	0.0		

Highest open-air Temperature, 8.82
Lowest open-air Temperature, 9.74

B=Blue sky; C=Cloudy; D=Drizzle; F=Fog; L=Lightning; M=Mist; O=Overcast; P=Passing Showers; J=Squalls; R=Rain; T=Thunder.

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There will be one collection from the pillar boxes and one delivery of ordinary correspondence each day as on Sundays. One delivery of Registered correspondence at 11 a.m. on Friday 10th; at 9.30 a.m. on Saturday 11th and at 10 a.m. on Monday the 13th.

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INWARD MAILS

FROM	PER	DATE
Straits and Europe via Naga- tam (Letters and Papers) Lon- don, 12th March and Air Mail ex "K.L.M. Service" Amsterdam 23th March.	Haruna Maru	10th Apr.
MANILA	Pres. McKinley	10th Apr.
STRAITS	Dakar Maru	10th Apr.
U.S.A., HONOLULU, JAPAN and SHAN- GAI (San Francisco, 20th March)	Pres. Hoover	10th Apr.
JAPAN	Tango Maru	10th Apr.
SHANGHAI	Andre Lebon	10th Apr.
U.S.A., HONOLULU, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (San Francisco, 13th March)	Pres. Hayes	10th Apr.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	Hakozaki Maru	10th Apr.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	Tatsumi Maru	10th Apr.
JATA and MANILA	Tykenhong	11th Apr.
MANILA	Agamemnon	11th Apr.

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earlier than the time given below unless otherwise stated, and
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and parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m. on the previous day.

FOR	PER	DATE and TIME
FRIDAY		Friday, 10th
Letters for "Imperial Airways direct Service"—due London 20th April.	R.M.A. Dorado	G.P.O. Let. 8.15 A.M.
Letters for "Australia by Im- perial Airways Service"—due Darwin 14th April.	R.M.A. Dorado	G.P.O. Let. 8.15 A.M.
Sandakan	Himang	Reg. 9.00 A.M. Let. 10.00 A.M.
Saigon, *Ceylon, *India, *East, and *South Africa, Egypt, and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Mar- seilles, 7th May	Andre Lebon	G.P.O. Reg. 9.45 A.M. Let. 10.31 A.M.
Australia (except places North of Brisbane) and New Zealand via Singapore and Brisbane—due Brisbane, 6th May	Hakozaki Maru (To connect with the s.s. "Nieuw Zeeland" at Singa- pore; leaving Singapore, on 21st April)	Reg. 10.15 A.M. Let. 11.00 A.M.
*Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and EUROPE via Victoria B.C.—due Victoria B.C., 29th April	Pres. McKinley	Parcels 10.05 A.M. Reg. 11.15 A.M. Let. Noon
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Seitan	Noon
Manila	Pres. Hoover	Noon
Formosa, Shanghai, *Japan and EUROPE via Siberia	Haruna Maru	Noon
*Manila	Pres. Hayes	Noon
Hakow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Kiungchow	Noon
Haiphong	Qantia	Noon
Straits, Sandakan, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt, and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Mar- seilles, 9th May	Hakozaki Maru	Reg. 11.15 A.M. Let. Noon
SATURDAY		Saturday, 11th
Madang, Salamaua and Rabaul	Frederick	8.30 A.M.
Shanghai	Kwanai Maru	8.30 A.M.
Swatow	Hai King	10.00 A.M.
Bangkok	Gustaf Diderichsen	10.00 A.M.
Straits	Apoy	10.00 A.M.
Shanghai	Benewise	10.00 A.M.
Saigon	Lyemmon	10.00 A.M.
Amoy	Kaying	10.00 A.M.
Letters for "K.L.M. Service"— due Amsterdam, 23rd April.	Sirdhana	Reg. 9.30 A.M. Let. 9.30 A.M. G.P.O. Reg. 9.30 A.M. Let. 10.00 A.M. Par. 11th, 10.00 A.M. Let. 11th 9.00 A.M.
Straits and Calcutta	Sirdhana	

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